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AMERICAN TROOPS ENTER TUNISIA

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Br. Forces Arrive In North Africa

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LONDON, Nov. 10. French Frontier.

It is reported that Hitler, Mussolini and Laval are meeting in Rome.

LAVAL IN BERLIN

BUENOS AIRES:—The radio this morning quoted a Madrid report that M. Laval is in Berlin to explain the failure of French resistance in North-Africa.

U. S. TROOPS ENTER TUNISIA

The radio reported this morning that United States troops had entered Tunisia and that only slight resistance had so far been encountered. "United States troops are advancing in the direction of Bizerta and the Capital."

BR. TROOPS LAND IN N. AFRICA

LONDON:—It is authoritatively stated that British troops and air units have now landed in North-Africa.

PETAIN TAKES UP DARLAN'S CHARGE

Vichy radio announces that Marshal Petain has assumed Admiral Darlan's post of Commander-in-Chief of the French Land, Sea and Air Forces. The text of Petain's statement was: "The Marshal of France and Chief of State has taken the following decision: 'In the absence of Admiral Darlan I from to-day assume Supreme Command of the Land, Sea and Air Forces. For the moment I have only one order to give. That everyone does his duty with discipline and in an orderly and calm manner'.

DARLAN MYSTERY

BUENOS AIRES, Nov. 10.

The radio to-day said that Admiral Darlan is a prisoner in the hands of United States troops at Algiers.

LONDON: The mystery of the whereabouts of Admiral Darlan was cleared up by an American spokesman from the Allied Headquarters in London to-day. He said that Admiral Darlan is in Algiers "and is being entertained by one of our American Generals with the respect and dignity due to an officer of his rank".

TUNIS BORDER TOWN BOMBED

Vichy radio's midday report states, 50 miles from Tunis border bombs were dropped this morning in the neighbourhood of Bona in Algeria. In Tunis itself street traffic has been considerably reduced. All work has ceased in the docks which are at present empty of vessels.

Similar situation prevails in all other cities in the Protectorate.

U. S. PLANES OVER TOULON

Vichy radio reported to-day that three United States aircraft flew over Toulon harbour last night.

Armistice Talks Break Down

LONDON, Nov 10.

Vichy radio announces that Armistice talks at Oran have broken down and fighting continued this morning.

U. S. Tanks Enter Oran

The Vichy radio shortly after noon to-day announced the following despatch from Algiers "American tanks entered Oran at 11/45 this morning. The landing forces have occupied a hill and the fort of Santa Cruz dominating the bay".—Reuter.

FOCAL POINT OF VICHY RESISTANCE

With the occupation of Oran, the United Nations will gain possession of the most highly equipped naval base in Algeria, second only to Bizerta as a natural harbour. Oran has been the focal point of Vichy resistance in North Africa since the landings began.—**Reuter.**

WILL HITLER OCCUPY VICHY FRANCE?

LONDON, Nov. 10.

What will be Hitler's next move is asked by diplomatic and military correspondents in the morning newspapers.

The "Daily Herald" says it is rumoured in Berlin that Hitler's counter-stroke to the occupation of North Africa will be German occupation of Vichy France. He says that the French Mediterranean coast is unfortified and weakly defended. The German staff must be wondering whether it is not imperative to occupy and fortify that coast as quickly as possible. They may also consider it necessary to give the Italians in Italy and Greece a stiffening of German troops but the problem worrying them is where to get the men.

ITALIAN FLEET WON'T COME OUT

Commentator A. J. Cummings in the "News Chronicle" asks, will the Italian fleet come out to fight. He answers that Hitler is unlikely to persuade Mussolini to sacrifice his fleet at a moment when the Italian people and probably the Duce himself is enraged at Rommel's abandonment of the six Italian divisions in Egypt.

LOOP FOR HITLER

LONDON, Nov. 10.

A striking new war poster placarded throughout Moscow shows British, American and Soviet hands tugging respectively at each end of a rope looped round Hitler's neck. The rope is inscribed "Agreement, treaty between the U. S. S. R., Britain and the United States. The poster says "The evil foe will not find escape from this loop".

Giraud's Task In North Africa

Reuter's special correspondent at the Allied Headquarters in North-West Africa says: Gen. Henri Giraud, who arrived in Algeria from France can be expected to end fighting between soldiers who have the same enemy Gen. Giraud will organise the French North African army to fight side by side with the forces of the United Nations.

The Allied Commander-in-Chief has agreed to support Gen. Giraud in this theatre with the strong forces under his command and the Government of the United States has pledged it support in providing arms and equipment for the new French army.

GIRAUD MEETS EISENHOWER

Lt.-Gen. Eisenhower at a Press Conference last night revealed the presence of Gen. Giraud in Algeria like a magician pulling out a rabbit from a hat. How and when Gen. Giraud escaped Laval's police and the Gestapo in Vichy

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BATTLE OF STALINGRAD

Soviet Consolidate Positions: Guerillas Wreck Nazi Train

LONDON, Nov. 10.

According to the German radio the Russians have captured a road in the upper Terek valley "of some importance for supplying the advance German spearhead."

MOSCOW: To-day's Soviet midday 'communique' states: "During the night of November 9 our troops fought the enemy in the area of Stalingrad, north-east of Tuapse and south-east of Nalchik.

The supplement to to-day 'communique' said: "In Stalingrad the Soviet consolidated their positions. They also repulsed attacks by small enemy groups. German scouts in the factory area met with no success in their operations. One hundred Germans were killed and 2 enemy guns, 11 machine-guns and 8 blockhouses were destroyed.

North-west of Stalingrad a raid behind the enemy trenches was made by Russian troops when 36 Germans were killed. In another sector artillery and mortar fire destroyed 8 enemy lorries and wiped out one company of German infantry.

IN CAUCASUS

South-east of Nalchik active operations continued. In one sector an attack with a regiment of infantry supported by tanks was repulsed and several tanks were destroyed. North-east of Tuapse the enemy succeeded in crossing a river but was thrown back by Russian troops.

In another sector on the Western Front snipers and Soviet artillery killed 400 Germans and demolished 29 blockhouses.

In one sector Soviet scouts penetrated into enemy lines and captured documents. Many Germans were killed in hand-to-hand fighting. Scouts returned safely to their units.

In the Orlov region Soviet guerillas wrecked an enemy military train."

In Egypt

Pounding Of Axis Transport

Br. Bombers Attack Aerodromes In Sardinia

CAIRO, Nov. 10.

To-day's Middle East joint war 'communique' states "enemy rearguards in the Sidi Barrani and Sollum areas were engaged by our forces yesterday. Clearance of the battle area continues.

Prisoners are still being brought in, mainly Italians abandoned by their German allies. Much enemy equipment has been collected. Our bombing and strafing operations over the frontier area continued during the night and day of Nov. 8/9. There was some slight enemy opposition and our fighters shot down at least one Messerschmitt 109.

During the same night, our medium bombers attacked aerodromes in Sardinia. From these and other operations two of our aircraft did not return".

Allied Bombers Move Up To New Bases

Allied heavy and medium bombers have again attacked the frontier passes between Egypt and Libya where Hellfire Pass and Sollum road are believed to have been partially destroyed. Allied bombers and fighters have moved up to new bases to continue their day and night pounding of Axis transport while land forces have taken advantage of the drying desert to push on with redoubled speed.

ENEMY PRESSURE ON AXIS UNITS

ROME: To-day's Italian Communique said: "In Egypt, enemy pressure on Italian and German units has been kept up. During last night enemy aircraft dropped high-explosive and incendiary bombs in a district of Cagliari".

SWITZERLAND TO REPRESENT U. S.

BERNE, Nov. 10.

It is officially announced that at the request of the United States Government and with the agreement of Vichy, Switzerland has undertaken to represent American interests in Vichy France.—Reuter.

EXPLOSION IN MAIL BAG

Letters And Packets Charred At Poona Railway Station

POONA, Nov. 10.

An explosion occurred in one of the postal bags in the sorting room at the railway station tonight. The mail bags which arrived here by the Poona Mail from Bombay were awaiting clearance when the explosion occurred as a result of which one bag caught fire. The fire was soon put out by a fire engine before it could spread to other bags.

A number of letters and postal packets which the bag contained are said to have been charred by the fire.—A. P.

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U. S. PLANES RAID RANGOON PORT

NEW DELHI, Nov. 10.

Bombers of the Tenth Air Force on November 9 again heavily bombed docks and warehouses in a midday raid on Rangoon and Syriam, says a 'communique' issued by the branch office, Headquarters United States Army Forces, China, Burma and India. Many large fires were observed on both sides of the river by returning crews. The American planes were obliged to fly through accurate anti-aircraft fire. Three enemy fighters were seen in the area but only one fighter attempted to attack. It was driven off by our rear gunners. All of our planes and crews returned safely to their base.

THIRTEEN MORE PLANES DESTROYED

An India Command Joint War Communique says:

Original claims of enemy aircraft destroyed during their attack on aerodromes in north-east Assam on October 25, 26 and 28 totalled seven, six falling to fighters of the United States Army Air Corps and one to British anti-aircraft fire. Others were claimed to have been severely damaged but their destruction could not be confirmed immediately. Search in the hills and jungles in the surrounding areas, however, have now produced the wrecked fuselage of thirteen Japanese aircraft and further information suggests that at least one or two more failed to return to their base.—A. P.

MEXICO BREAKS WITH VICHY

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 10.

President Camacho announces that Mexico has broken diplomatic relations with Vichy.—Reuter.

CUBA BREAKS WITH VICHY

HAVANA:—Cuba has broken diplomatic relations with Vichy, the Minister of State M. Jose Agustin Martinez announced.—Reuter.

Jinnah-Rajaji Talks Conclude

Azad Muslim Board To Send Deputation To United Nations

NEW DELHI, November 10.

Mr. Rajagopalachariar had a second meeting with Mr. Jinnah this evening lasting two hours.

He told pressmen later that his talks with Mr. Jinnah had concluded and that he was planning to leave Delhi on Thursday.

C. R. MEETS AZAD MUSLIM BOARD

Mr. C. Rajagopalachariar met members of the Azad Muslim Board and had talk with them to-day.

The Azad Muslim Board in a resolution passed to-day calls upon the people of India to concentrate all their efforts on the consolidation of inter-communal unity and trust, declaring that it is the special responsibility of Mussalmans and their organisations "to expose the hollowness of the British plea that Indian Moslems do not want Independence and National Government."

The resolution appeals to Mussalmans to mobilise public opinion effectively to press the demand for a Declaration of Independence with immediate transfer of power to the people and the establishment of a provisional Coalition Government.

APPEAL TO UNITED NATIONS

The resolution also draws the attention to the people of U. S. A., Great Britain, U. S. S. R. and China to the measure of agreement already achieved between the different political parties of India and while expressing appreciation of the interest and sympathy shown by them to the Indian cause, calls upon them to realise that an immediate settlement of the Indian deadlock on the basis of independence as suggested above is imperative not only in Indian interests but also for their own safety and welfare.—A. P.

Azad Muslim Deputation To Visit United Nations

NEW DELHI, November 10.

The Azad Muslim Board passed a resolution that a deputation be sent to the United Nations, namely, Britain, United States, Russia and China, to acquaint them with the Indian situation. The Secretary of the Board was authorised to arrange for passport facilities.

By a resolution the Board criticised the decision of the Government regarding Haj pilgrimage.

By another resolution the Board condemned the dismissal of Mr. Allah Bux "in spite of the enjoyment of confidence of a majority of the members of the Sind Legislature."—United Press.

JINNAH WON'T DISCLOSE HIS CARDS?

League Leader's Stand And Rajaji's Mission

(From Our Correspondent)

NEW DELHI, Nov. 9.

It is generally recognised that the week's political talks have opened in a cordial atmosphere.

TASK BEFORE RAJAJI

Mr. Jinnah is too astute a politician to disclose his cards to Rajaji. His supporters say he has always been unwilling to negotiate with any but authorized representatives.

As Rajaji goes in an independent capacity as a peace-maker, Mr. Jinnah will only be prepared to elucidate the League's position and have Rajaji meet the Congress leaders and advance the position, if he can.

Rajaji appears to feel that if he has the support of the Muslim League and the Hindu Mahasabha, he can approach the Government with a request to meet Gandhiji.

Certain Indian Members of the Government are prepared to support the move.

League's Bid TO CONTROL Sind Ministry

(From Our Correspondent).

NEW DELHI, Nov. 10.

The position in Sind is eased by the fact that Sind Muslim Ministers, who are here have thrown themselves on Mr. Jinnah's mercy and have undertaken to obey his instructions implicitly. Many difficulties still exist the presence of the non-League Muslims in the Ministry, position of Sir Ghulam Hussain, policy of the Ministry, etc. A powerful group has been pressing for establishing a League-controlled Ministry in Sind. As this group commands majority, some way will be found for removing the difficulties and retaining League Ministry but certain undertakings may be demanded of Sir Ghulam Hussain.

League And Sind Issue

NEW DELHI, Nov. 10.

The Muslim League Committee of five on Sind with Nawab Ismail Khan as Chairman met to-day and discussed some aspects of the League position in Sind.

It is learned that following to-day's discussion certain points have been referred to the Sind League Assembly Party for elucidation and on receipt of the Party's reply, a further meeting of the Committee is expected to be called to take a final decision.—A.P.

Sikandar Contradicts Press Report

LAHORE, Nov. 10.

Sir Sikandar Hyat Khan, in the course of talks with pressmen this afternoon, contradicted the press report that the Hindu and Sikh leaders of the Punjab rejected his formula for a communal settlement.

In fact, the Punjab Premier had not yet received any reply from the leaders with whom he had talks. The Hindu members, however, informed the Premier that they would consult the Hindu Mahasabha before giving any final reply.

The Premier is still optimistic about the formula, which is hoped to help a great deal in solving the present deadlock in the country.—United Press.

NO LIQUIDATION OF BR. EMPIRE, ASSURES CHURCHILL!

Britain's War Aim Is To Rehabilitate France With Alsace-Lorraine!!

LONDON, Nov. 10.

Speaking at Mansion House, Mr. Churchill referred to United States' operations in North Africa and said that Roosevelt is "the author of this mighty undertaking and I his active and ardent Lieutenant."

He declared that Britain had no acquisitive designs in North Africa or any other part of the world and said "We mean to hold our own. I have not become the King's First Minister in order to preside over the liquidation of the British Empire."

FINAL RESULT SATISFACTORY

Mr. Churchill was warmly cheered as he drove this morning to Mansion House to address the Lord Mayor's annual banquet. The normal banquet has become an austerity luncheon held in Mansion House, instead of the bomb-scarred Guildhall, Mr. Churchill was again cheered when he arrived.

Mr. Churchill said: "In our wars, episodes are largely adverse but the final result has hitherto been satisfactory. In the last war, we were uphill almost to the end. We met with disasters far more bloody than anything we have experienced in this

ROMMEL ROUTED

"I never promised anything but blood, tears, toil and sweat. Now, however, we have a new experience—a remarkable and definite victory. Rommel's army has been routed and very largely destroyed as a fighting force. The battle was fought with one single idea, to destroy the armed forces of the enemy in a place where disaster would be most punishable and irrecoverable. All the various elements played their part—Indian troops, Fighting French, Greeks, Czechoslovakians and others. The Americans rendered powerful and invaluable service in the air. But the battle has been fought almost entirely by men of British blood and from the Dominions on one side and the Germans on the other. It was intense, fierce and deadly. The Germans have been outfought with the very weapons with which they have beaten down many peoples such as aeroplanes, tanks and artillery.

BEGINNING OF END

This is not the end. It is not even the beginning of the end. But it is perhaps the end of the beginning (Loud cheers). Henceforward the Nazis will have to face that air superiority which they have often used without mercy against others. When I read of the coastal road being crammed with fleeing German vehicles under the blast of British tanks and aircraft, I could not but remember the roads of France and Flanders, crowded with helpless refugees upon whom merciless havoc was wrecked.

"I could not help feeling what was happening, was only justice, grimly repaid. The victory already gained gives good prospects of becoming decisive and final, as far as the defence of Egypt is concerned.

But the battle of Egypt in itself important, was designed and timed as the prelude of the momentous enterprise undertaken by the United States at western end of the Mediterranean in which our army, air force and above all our navy are bearing an honourable and important share

SPAIN AND PORTUGAL

President Roosevelt has declared and this has been solemnly endorsed by the British Government that strict respect will be paid to the rights and interests of Spain and Portugal by America and Britain. To those countries our only policy is that they should be independent, free, prosperous and at peace. Britain and the United States will do all they can do to enrich the economic life of the Iberian Peninsula Spaniards especially require and deserve peace and recuperation.

Our thoughts turn towards France groaning under the German heel. I am prepared to stake my faith that France will rise again. While there are men like De Gaulle and Giraud my confidence in the future of France is sure. We have no wish but to see France free and strong with her Empire gathered round her and Alsace-Lorraine restored.

NO LIQUIDATION OF BR. EMPIRE

We have not entered this war for profit or expansion but only for honour and to do our duty in defending right. Let me however make this clear. We mean to hold our own. I have not become the King's First Minister to preside over the liquidation of the British Empire. I am proud to be a member of the vast Commonwealth and society of nations gathered around the ancient British monarch without which good cause might well have perished. Here we stand, a veritable rock of salvation in the drifting world. We have no need to make excuses or apologies for our record pleads for us.

The two African undertakings are part of a single strategic political conception, which we have laboured long to bring to fruition and about which we are now justified in entertaining good confidence. This event will be a new bond between the English speaking people and give new hope for the whole world."—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

Peace Parleys

LONDON, Nov. 10.

After landing operations in Algiers parleys began and the terms of Armistice were hammered out at a conference between the United States Consuls-General Mr Murphy and General Ryder for the Americans and M. Juin and Admiral Darlan for the French. There had been bitter scattered fighting. Sixteen hours after the first American sweep, a decision was reached. Thousands of American troops to-night are cheerfully policing the city and taking cars have rounded up Axis nationals. The situation in Algeria is well in hand.

PORTUGAL AND SPAIN

WASHINGTON.—The replies received by President Roosevelt from the President of Portugal and Gen. Franco of Spain were described as "satisfactory" by the President's Secretary Mr. Stephen Early.—Reuter.

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W. H. PAYTON,
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BOARD OF INDIAN SYSTEMS OF MEDICINE, BOMBAY.

NOTICE TO THE ELECTORATE CONSTITUTED BY SUB-SECTION (2) AND (3) OF SECTION 3 OF THE BOMBAY MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS' ACT 1938.

WHEREAS according to Proviso to Sub-Section 1 of Section 6 of the Bombay Medical Practitioners' Act 1938, the term of the Office of the existing members of the Board expires on the 7th January, 1943. Now, therefore, in accordance with the Proviso to sub-section (2) and sub-section (3) of section 3 of the Bombay Medical Practitioners' Act 1938 and Rule 6 of the Bombay Medical Practitioners' Rules 1939 (G.N.G.D. 3334|33, dated the 1st November, 1939), the Practitioners registered under the Bombay Medical Practitioners' Act 1938, are required to elect six members on the Board. The seats of the said six members shall, in accordance with sub-section (3) of Section 3 be divided amongst the Ayurvedic and Unani Registered Practitioners so that the number of members representing the Ayurvedic Registered Practitioners shall be four and those representing the Unani Registered Practitioners shall be two.

Candidates qualified for election must be proposed and seconded by the persons qualified as electors i.e. whose names are borne on the Register of Practitioners in Indian Medicine on 31st October, 1942. No elector shall propose or second the nomination of more persons than are required to fill up the vacancies. If more nominations than are required to fill up the vacancies be subscribed by the same elector, all nominations subscribed by him shall be void. The candidate shall sign the nomination paper declaring that he is willing to serve on the Board if elected. Every proposal for nomination must be in writing and must be signed by the proposer and seconder and sent by post or otherwise so as to reach the Returning Officer at the office of the Board of Indian Systems of Medicine, Mahendra Mansions, Fort, Bombay, not later than 5 P.M. on FRIDAY, the 4th December, 1942.

FRIDAY, 11th December, 1942, has been fixed as the date for issue of voting papers to electors. Voting papers should be personally delivered or sent by post so as to reach the Returning Officer at the Office of the Board of Indian Systems of Medicine, Mahendra Mansions, Fort, Bombay, before 12 Noon on SATURDAY, the 2nd January, 1943. SATURDAY, 2nd January, 1943 (2 (P.M.) has been fixed as the date for the counting of votes at the Office of the Board of Indian Systems of Medicine, Mahendra Mansions, Fort, Bombay. The Electoral Roll prepared in accordance with Rule 7(1) can be seen at the office of the Board on any week day during office hours.

Any voting paper which is not received by the Returning Officer before 12 Noon on 2nd January 1943 or which does not in any way conform to the Rules shall be rejected.

P. R. GODBOLE,
Returning Officer.
Mahendra Mansions, 1st floor
144, Esplanade Road, Fort,
Bombay.

Dated 10th November, 1942.

(2302)

Public Notices

BOMBAY ART SOCIETY

THE 52ND ANNUAL EXHIBITION of the Society will be held in the Sir COWASJEE JEHANGIR HALL, Bombay in January, 1943. For Prospectus apply to the Hon. Secretary, Bombay Art Society, Secretariat, Bombay 1.

(2331)

NOTICE TO JURYMEN.

GENTLEMEN of the COMMON JURY, summoned for the current Criminal Sessions are required to attend at the High Court, on 1st floor, Room No. 37, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th November, 1942, at 11-5 A. M. (S.T.).

M. R. A. BAIG,
Sheriff of Bombay.
Bombay, 10th November, 1942.

(2329)

BOMBAY PORT TRUST.

VACANCIES exist for temporary Pilots in the Bombay Pilotage Service. The posts may or may not become a permanency later.

Applicants should (1) be British Indian subjects, (2) be between the ages of 26 and 32 years, (3) hold a Master's Certificate issued under the Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1923 ("Colonial Certificate of Competency") or under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 ("Board of Trade Certificate").

The selected applicants must pass the prescribed vision test and be certified fit by the B. P. T. Medical Officer.

They will, in the first instance, be appointed on probation for not less than 6 months on an inclusive salary of Rs. 500|- a month and will be required to pass the prescribed examination for Pilots.

On appointment as Pilots, their pay will be Rs. 700|- fixed, plus Rs. 30|- Conveyance Allowance, for as long as the appointments are of a temporary nature.

Applications stating age, qualifications and previous experience supported by testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 30th November, 1942.

Preference will be given to ex "DUFFERIN" Cadets.

Any attempt to bring personal influence to bear upon the members of the Board of Trustees will disqualify the candidate concerned.

C. T. WILLSON,
Deputy Conservator.
Bombay Port Trust,
Deputy Conservator's Office,
Ballard Road, Fort.

(2325)

NOTICE

WANTED—Experienced Film Director with special aptitude for short subjects and documentaries. Energetic man with ideas and imagination required. Personality and education essential. Apply before 25th November, stating qualifications, previous experience, and minimum salary required to: Controller of Film Publicity, Department of Information and Broadcasting, New Delhi.

(2336)

NOTICE.

THE CHIEF CONTROLLER of Purchase (M), 8, Esplanade East, Calcutta invites offers for the following new or good secondhand serviceable testing instruments.

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1.	Ammeters Portable indicating 0-5 Amps., 29 Nos.
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8	Wattmeters portable indicating for 3 phase systems, scaled 0-250, 500, 1000 & 2000 watts, 1 No. of each.
10.	Avominors Universal with 22 ranges for A.C. & D.C. volts, D.C. Milliamperes and ohms., 6 Nos.
11	Avometers Universal with 46 ranges for A.C. & D.C. volts, resistance capacity & output, 6 Nos.

Firms should submit the lowest prices on their own forms, stating full particulars, maker's name, country of origin and quantity offered against each item.

Offers should reach this office by 20|11|42 quoting reference to tender No. MP-48566|E-13.

(2334)

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT

WANTED.—Temporary clerks. Candidates must be over 18 and under 28 years of age. Initial pay Rs. 62|- P.M. with increments after 12 months' continuous service in the grade of Rs. 45-50-4-70-150 plus local allowance at stations where it is admissible to permanent clerks. No liability for field service overseas for temporary clerks. Free conveyance for self (Single Inter Class fare) from place of residence to place of duty will be admissible on appointment. Candidates of exceptional merit will be considered for permanent appointment in due course.

QUALIFICATION. —University Degree except for Muslims who should have passed Intermediate examination.

Apply with copies of testimonials, Intermediate or University certificates and evidence of age to the Controller of Military Accounts, Southern Army, Poona, or Controller of Naval Accounts, Bombay.

(2333)

Public Notices

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Association will be held at the Hall of the Indian Merchants' Chamber, Lalji Naranji Memorial Building, near Churchgate Station, at 6 p.m. (S. T.) on Thursday, the 12th instant.

2330

G.I.P.RLY.—TENDERS

THE CONTROLLER OF STORES invites tenders for the purchase of waste paper and old records, etc. Forms obtainable from Stores Head Office, Gipstore Lane, Lower Parel, Bombay 13, at Rs. 2|- per copy, not refundable. Money order or cash only. Closing date 19-11-1942.

(2252)

NOTICE

TENDERS for distillation and supply of Country Liquor in Ajmer-Merwara during the 3 years commencing from 1st April, 1943, are required:

For particulars apply to:
THE COLLECTOR OF EXCISE
REVENUE,
Ajmer-Merwara,
AJMER.

(2260)

Legal Notices

SHORT NOTICE.

HIGH COURT,
O.O.C.J.

Suit No. 365 of 1936.

FAKRUDDIN and Ors. .. Plaintiffs.
v|s
HANIFABAI, widow & Ors. .... Defendants.

THE TIME for Sale of the Properties by the Commissioner on 25th November, 1942, should be read as at 4 P. M. (S.T.) on that day in the Advertisement appearing in the issue of this paper of the 7th November, 1942 in the above matter.

MAHIMTURA & CO.,
Attorneys for the 2nd Defendant.

(2337)

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the CENTRAL BANK EXECUTOR and TRUSTEE COMPANY, LIMITED, SORABJI BHICAJI DUBASH and NAVAJBAI, wife of the said Sorabji Bhicaji Dubash have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client, MANGALBHAI ISHWARBHAI PATEL.

ALL persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Alli Chambers, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

ALL that piece of land, containing an area of nine hundred and twenty-five (925) square yards or thereabouts situate on and being Plot No. 583 of the Dadar-Matunga Estate of the Trustees for the Improvement for the City of Bombay in the City and Island and Sub-Registration District of Bombay, bounded, on the North-east by Plot No. 582 of the said Estate agreed to be leased to Nowroji Bejonji Kapadia and another on the South-East by Plots Nos. 584-585 of the said Estate on the South-west by land of the Trustees for the Improvement of the City of Bombay laid out as a garden and on the North-west by a Road 40 feet in width which piece of land bears New Survey No. 1108 part and Cadastral Survey No. 703/10 Matunga Division, together with the buildings thereon consisting partly of a main building of a ground floor and one upper floor and of a ground floor and two upper floors and partly of a temporary out-building of a corrugated iron shed of a ground floor only and are assessed by the Municipality under F Ward Nos. 6855(12), 6855(12A) Old Street Nos. 422(O), 422(OA), New Street Nos. 69 Jame Jamshed Road and 422/6A Matunga Road.

Dated this 5th day of November, 1942.

THAKORDAS DARU HEMANY & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.

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Auction Sales

BENNETT & CO.

AUCTION SALE OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY.

Under instructions from the Chief Presidency Magistrate M|s. BENNETT & CO., will sell by Public Auction on TUESDAY the 17th November, 1942 at 4 P.M. (S.T.) one Prow No. KRJ—1346 lying at Worli Koliwada.

BENNETT & CO.

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A FAMILY PICTURE WITH A FAMILY TOUCH

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For one Week Daily 4 Shows 1-45, 4-30, 7-15 & 10 P.M.

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A UNIVERSAL PICTURE

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Free List Suspended

It has set Intelligent Cinegoers Thinking!

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2nd BIG HIT

'MERA GAON'

Starring:

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Director:

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Music:

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With—
NAJAM, AHIN, CHOWDHURY
K. C. DEY,
PANNA Etc.

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If you have tried other so called specialist Doctors, Hakims etc. and have not found any improvement, if you are misguided by big and charming advertisements yet there are full hopes for your cure, there is one and only one Doctor of doctors and Emperor of Hakims second to none Lukmanmalik Z. M. Rai, M.D.H. first (London) first class gold medalist M.B.B.S.H. first class degree holder Sex specialist registered by the Govt. of India, who will cure all your troubles as sexual weakness nervous debility, spermatorrhoea, wet dreams, Gonorrhoea, Syphilis, and (piles) without operation within a week with cent per cent Guarantee, will show magiclike effect within 2 minutes. Do not waste your time, money and health after charming words. Innumerable patients who had left hopes are cured and have regained the new life and youth. You too hurry up and get the best of the pleasure of life.

Asst. Manager Dr. R. A. Khilji M.B.H and Dr. M.A. Clare L.M.C.H. Gold medalist.

ORIENTAL DISPENSARY,
Sandhurst Road, near Diamond Talkies, Opp. Municipal Garden
Bombay, 4. For reply send stamps.

TALK OF THE SUBURBS

(BY A SUBURBAN MAN)

The Diwali and Hindu New Year were celebrated throughout the suburban area. All the temples had devotees throughout the three days. Merry-making and scene of gaiety prevailed in several places.

FIRE AT BANDRA

What is alleged to be rivalry between two fishing parties at Danda, resulted last night in a big fire when fishing nets valued at about Rs. 2,000 were completely destroyed.

It is alleged at about 11-30 p.m., yesterday, a big blaze was seen along the Danda beach. Villagers rushed towards the blaze, when they are alleged to have seen a number of individuals disappearing into the darkness. The blaze was so large that the Bandra Fire Brigade had to be summoned and after an hour's fight with the flames the fire was put under control.

The nets destroyed in the fire, it is alleged, were heaped along the beach in various spots, but individuals who were responsible for the fire are alleged to have collected them together and cut those nets they could not shift.

This damage has I am told ruined over 15 families who will not be able to go fishing for a long time.

The village committee headed by Mr. K. M. Patel Municipal Councillor is to meet when ways and means to help the victims of this disaster will be considered. Police investigations are in progress.

SOVIET POSTERS EXHIBITION: An exhibition of Soviet posters paintings, cartoons and statistical charts will be opened by Mr. M. H. Shaheed, at Pithawala Hall, near David Sassoon Mill, Elphinstone Road at 7 p.m. (New S.T.), and will be kept open till 9 p.m. The exhibition will remain open for one week from 11th to 18th instant from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. to 9 p.m.

HYPNOTISING THE LOVER OF MUSIC

& DRAWING THE REST UNDERSPELL

PRAKASH'S

EXCEPTIONAL MASTER HIT

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THE BANGLES WITH ALL THEIR SWEET CHARM BRINGING JOY & LAUGHTER FOR YOU.

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NEW WEST END

TIME: Daily: 5, 7-30 & 10 P.M.

AN EVERGREEN RELEASE

ALL BOMBAY BOOMING

with Excitement as the Love Story of the WORLD'S DEMOCRAT No. 1 and WORLD'S DANSEUR No. 1 immortalized in WORLD'S GREATEST PLAY becomes INDIA'S Greatest Film in ATRE'S Greatest Musical Romance

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The Show of Shows that is drawing Public to

EXCELSIOR
HINDI only
TO-DAY & TO-MORROW
3 SHOWS DAILY
3, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

NOVELTY
3 Shows Daily
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HINDI: 4 and 10 p.m.

C. W. 636.

SAVIOUR OF THE FAMISHED POOR!

NEW HUNS' DEVOTIONAL OFFERING

BHAKTA

DAMAJI

(HE LOVED HIS FELLOWMEN!)

Producer BABURAO PENDHARKAR

Starring: LEELA, LALITA PAWAR, LONDHE KUSUM, DESHPANDE, BABURAO PENDHARKAR

Mr. M. R. A. BAIG, The Sheriff of Bombay will grace by his presence the 6-30 p.m. show To-day.

Daily: 1, 3-30, 6-30, 9-30 P.M.

SWASTIK

A SILVER SCREEN EXCHANGE RELEASE

SINGING the SONGS OF UNITY and TRUTH, HE SHOWS PATH of PEACE!

UNITY PRODUCTIONS' Mammoth Movie Marvel!

BHAKTA

KABIR

Starring:— MEHTAB, MAZAHAR, BHARAT BHUSHAN Etc.

2 SECOND GREAT WEEK AT MINERVA

Daily: 3-30, 6-30 & 9-30 p.m. Sat., Sun. at 12-45 p.m.

(A BHARAT PICTURES' RELEASE)

City And Suburbs

LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS To-day

Hindu: Kartik Shud 3, 1999.
Muslim: Jilkad 1, 1361.
Parsi: Khordad 8, 1312.

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY

KRISHNA—"Meenakshi" 4-30, 7-15 and 10
SWASTIK—"Bhakta Damaji" 1, 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
REGAL—"Pardon My Sarrong" 4, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
MAJESTIC—"Basant" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
METRO—"The Courtship of Andy Hardy" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
MINERVA—"Bhakta Kabir" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
CAPITOL—"Call Out the Marines" 4, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
BROADWAY—"Ankh Michowli" 1-45, 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
AURORA—"Bail of Fire" 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
CHITRA—"Rai Saheb" 4, 7 and 9-45 p.m.
PALACE—"How Green Was My Valley" 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
APOLLO—"Musafir" 4-30, 7 and 10 p.m.
HIND-MATA—"Muqabla" 4-15, 7 and 9-45
EDWARD—"Badal" 4, 7 and 10 p.m.
SUPER—"Mamaji" 4-15, 7 and 9-45 p.m.
LAMINGTON—"Ek-Raat" 1, 4, 7 and 10
OPERA HOUSE—"Chandni" 4, 7 and 10 p.m.
STRAND—"The Man Who Came To Dinner" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
NOVELTY—"Vasant Sena" 12 noon, 3-15, 6-30 and 9-45 p.m.
EXCELSIOR—"Vasant Sena" 3, 6-30 and 10
IMPERIAL—"Jawab" 4, 7 and 10 p.m.
KOHINOOR—"Station Master" 4, 7 and 10
CITY LIGHT—"Dnyaneshwar" 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.

NOTICE TO JURYMEN: Common Jurors' attention is drawn to the notice appearing in the Public Notifications Column.

DECCAN AMATEURS' CLUB: The Managing Committee meeting of the above Club will be held to-day (Wednesday) at 9 p.m. (N.S.T.) at Dhuru Hall, Dadar.

NATIONAL WAR FRONT: A public gathering was held in the Hattersley Mill, Ghatkopar, on the eve of Diwali holidays, under the auspices of the Front. Mr. Behram N. Karanjia presided. Speeches were delivered by numerous persons wishing success to Allied Arms.

CHEQUES CLEARED: Cheques delivered through the Bombay Bankers' Clearing House during the week ending 6-11-1942 were as under:—Number of cheques 1,31,599. Amount of cheques 25,51,38,653-7-10.

UNITED LODGE OF THEOSOPHISTS: A public study class on "Spiritual Perfection" from An Epitome of Theosophy by W. Q. Judge, will be held to-day (Wednesday) at 6-15 p.m. at Jehangir Wadia Building, opposite Flora Fountain.

PUBLIC LECTURE: Mr. R. K. Bhatt, will lecture in English at the Besant Hall at French Bridge, Chowpatty, to-day (Wednesday) at 6-30 p.m. (S.T.). Subject: "Mysticism in the Upanishad Part 2."

K. R. CAMA BIRTH ANNIVERSARY: K. R. Cama birth anniversary gathering will be held to-day (Wednesday) at 6 p.m. (New S.T.) at the Dr. Sir Jivanji Modi Memorial Hall, 136 Apollo Street, when Mr. Sohrab J. Bulsara, will give a discourse on "The Religion of Zarathustra among Non-Iranian Nations". Mr. B. J. Wadia, Barrister-at-Law, will preside.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE NEWS: Lady Lumley accompanied by Miss Anne Lumley, Master Richard Lumley and Miss Lilly Serena Lumley and attended by Captain J. A. Roemmele arrived at Government House, Bombay, from Mahableshwar.

SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE: At the Bai Bachubai Kanji Karsondas Charitable Dispensary for Women and Children, conducted by the Social Service League, Bombay, at Parel, 1,580 patients consisting of 870 women and 710 children were treated during the month of October, 1942. The daily average attendance of patients was 60.

MUTUAL HELPING SOCIETY: A meeting of the sympathisers and workers of the Mutual Helping Societdy was held on Monday, in Ahamad Sailor Building, Naigaum, Dadar, to perform the opening ceremony of the Society's branch in that locality. Mr. S. K. Naik was in the chair. Dr. P. B. Datar, the Jt. Secretary of the Society gave an account in short of the Society's activities and expressed his gratitude to the organisers of the Branch who were working hard to afford Medical Relief and other facilities to the needy on behalf of the Society.

Navsari Muslim Educational Society

An informal meeting was held on the 25th October last, at the residence of Mr. Gulamnabi H. Taofik to consider the educational necessities of the Muslims of Navsari, when Munshi Badruddin H. Shaikh had presided. Suitable speeches were delivered and a society viz., "Navsari Muslim Educational Society" was established and the following office-bearers were elected:

President: Hafiz Abdulrehman. Vice-President: Mr. Abdulkadir Nahur. Honorary Secretary: Mr. Gulamnabi H. Taofik. Joint Hon. Secretary: Mr. Abdulmajidkhan Pathan. Treasurer: Mr. Gulammohammad A. Sheikh.

Phosphorous To Be Declared Poison

The Government of Bombay has proposed to declare Phosphorous (White) as a poison under the Poison's Act, 1919, and its possession for sale will be forbidden except under licence. Any objections to or suggestions on the proposal may be sent to the Additional Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Home Department, Secretariat, Bombay, before November 15, 1942.

Viceroy's Gold Medallists

Senior Cadet Captain P. K. Kundu the winner, and Senior Cadet Captain S. W. Desai, runner-up, are the two who scored success in the selection for His Excellency the Viceroy's Gold Medalists. The selection took place on board the Training Ship I. M. M T. S. "Dufferin" on Sunday morning.

COMMUNIST MEETING

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

At the Kamgar Maidan meeting held on Monday under the auspices of the Bombay Committee of the Communist Party of India, in observance of the Congress-League Agreement Day which formed the last part of the Unity week, Mr. Mirajkar was in the chair and Messrs. Randive, Sajjard Jaheer and Kolhatkar spoke.

OPERA HOUSE

Daily: 4, 7 and 10 p.m.

Khurshid And Ishwarlal in RANJIT'S Moonlit Musical

CHANDNI

Director: JAYANT DESAI

APPEAL FOR REVISION OF SENTENCES

(Before the Hon. the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Sen)

Their Lordships admitted an appeal filed by four boys between 17 and 19 years of age who had been convicted under Rule 35 (4) of the Defence of India Rules and sentenced by the Sessions Judge of Sholapur,—two to five years' rigorous imprisonment and a fine of rupees one thousand and the other two to five years' rigorous imprisonment, for having on the night of 14th August, attempted to set fire to a post-box at a sub-post-office in Sholapur City.

On behalf of the appellants it was contended that even assuming the facts to be true there was nothing more than mere preparation and the alleged crime certainly did not arrive at the stage of an attempt in law inasmuch as the boys, who had been arrested with kerosene and match-box before they had done anything, might have changed their minds and not set fire to the post-box. It was also argued that considering their tender age the sentences passed on the boys were too severe.

Mr. R. A. Jaghirdar appeared for the appellants.

Shamdasani Wants To Appeal To Privy Council

(Before the Hon. the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Sen)

P. D. Shamdasani ..... Applicant

This was an application under Clause 41 of the Letters Patent of the High Court for leave to appeal to the Privy Council from an order passed by Mr. Justice Kania on 15th October, 1942, committing Mr. Shamdasani for Contempt of Court.

Mr. Shamdasani contended that the point of law involved was that the words used did not constitute contempt in law and that the English decisions relied upon by the learned Judge did not bear out the proposition of law that an insult to counsel or to the Bar amounted to Contempt of Court.

The argument of the application is still proceeding.

Mr. Shamdasani appeared in person.

ON THE AIR

WEDNESDAY, NOV 11.

DELHI I—Programme.

338.6 metres (885 kc/s)

5 p.m. Delhi Radio Orchestra. 5-5 Ustad Faiyaz Khan. 5-35 For women. 6-45 Chandabai. 7 Musafir Khane Men. 7-15 Radhabai. 7-30 M. Siddiq. 7-45 For villagers only. 8-30 Voice of America. 8-45 Delhi Radio Orchestra. 8-55 Jawabi Hamla. 9-30 B B C News relay. 9-45 Radhabai. 10 Ustad Faiyaz Khan. 10-30 Chandabai. 10-45 M. Siddiq. 10-50 Radhabai. 10-55 Chandabai.

Bombay I—Programme

244 metres (1,231 kc/s)

8 a.m. Mishra Dhun on Clarionet. 8-5 News in Hindustani. 8-15 News in English. 8-25 Tarabai Godagkar. 8-50 News in Marathi. 9 News in Gujarati. 9-10 Instrumental music. 9-20 Sadat Khan. 9-35 Ratnakant Ramnathkar. 12-30 p.m. Bhavgeets. 12-45 News in Hindustani. 12-50 News in Marathi. 12-55 News in Gujarati. 1 Raag Raagini. 1-30 News in English. 1-40 Lunch-hour music. 5 Tomorrow. 5-5 I. W. Khalpe. 5-20 Sadat Khan. 5-35 Tarabai Gadagkar. 5-55 Local news and announcements. 6 Nana Ani Mani. 6-30 News in English. 6-40 News in Hindustani. 6-45 News commentary. 6-50 I. W. Khalpe. 7 Ap Se Milye. 7-15 Variety. 7-30 N. L. Ransde. 7-45 News in Marathi. 7-55 News in Gujarati. 8-5 Ponnu Swami. 8-10 R. N. Paradkar. 8-30 Voice of America. 8-45 News review. 9 News in Hindustani. 9-20 News in English. 9-30 B B C News relay. 9-40 Musical interlude. 9-45 Sadat Khan. 10 Air Orchestra. 10-10 R. N. Paradkar. 10-25 Tarabai Gadagkar.

Bombay II—Programme

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8 to 8-5 a.m. As in Bombay 1. 8-5 Gujarati songs. 8-15 to 8-50 As in Bombay 1. 8-50 R. N. Paradkar. 9-10 to 10 As in Bombay 1.

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5 to 7-15 As in Bombay 1. 7-15 Interval.

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7-30 Commercial news. 7-45 Purandardas Bhajans. 8-5 to 9 As in Bombay 1, 9 Ghazal, Pad and Tarana. 9-30 European music Recorded. 9-45 Chamber music.

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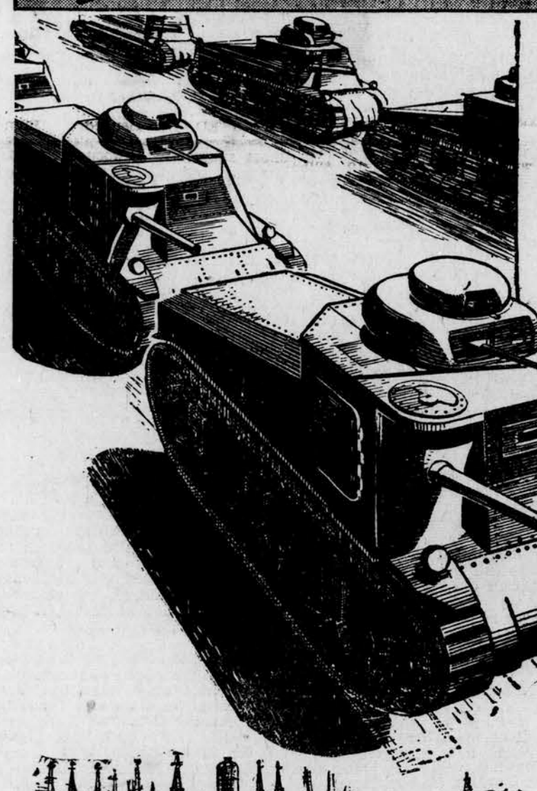

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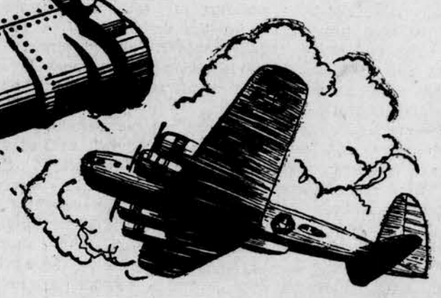

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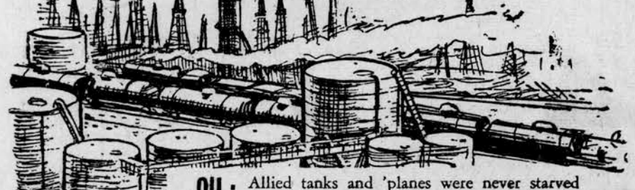

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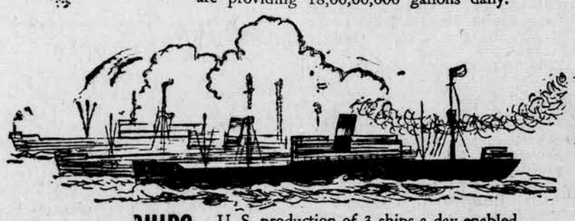

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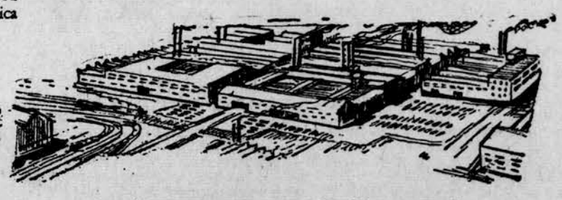

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WELCOME DEVELOPMENTS

Developments connected with the American move in Vichy French North Africa have been both swift and dramatic. The number of landings, their widespread nature and the strength of the American forces must have staggered the Vichy French defenders even if they all were unanimously determined to resist the Allies to the uttermost. As it is, very inconsiderable opposition seems to have been offered except by the Navy and some coastal batteries. But this opposition does not appear to have constituted and serious interference with General Eisehower's plans. Many airfields and ports on both the Mediterranean and the Atlantic have already fallen, the situation at Casablanca and Oran is admitted by Vichy itself to be serious and above all, Algiers is in Allied hands under the terms of a local armistice. Admiral Darlan, it is suggested by Berlin, may have been among those "caught" in Algiers. The most important event, however, is the emergence on the scene of the famous French soldier General Giraud. It is a significant accession to the cause of the United Nations and extremely welcome. The position is not yet clear whether General Giraud has joined General de Gaulle or is acting separately. But he is certainly bound a make a useful contribution to the common cause and help hasten the cessation of hostilities in Vichy French North Africa. Already an agency message optimistically forecasts an early end. If this came about it would be safe to predict the complete liquidation of the Axis in North Africa and the establishment of Allied control from one end to the other before the end of November. So far things have gone well and General Eisenhower may well express himself satisfied with them.

Hitler's Admission

"In North Africa," said Herr Hitler in his latest Munich speech, "the enemy has moved forward and we have moved back...." This is an official admission of defeat, something altogether new for the Fuhrer. The expression, it will be noted, is "North Africa", not Egypt. But Herr Hitler could not help all this. Field Marshal Rommel is already beyond the Egyptian frontier. He has left behind the bulk of the Italian army and a proportion of his own forces, to be mopped up in due course of time by the Eighth Army. He has also suffered heavy causualties in actual fighting and his loss in equipment and war material is terrible. But the fact remains that he has evaded pursuit and, battered though he is, he has escaped into Libya with "still a lot of Axis stuff to be caught up", as London says. This is disappointing to a certain extent. He has a ready-made line of defence with Tobruk as the pivot of it and is likely to give more trouble before he is finally eliminated. But his escape ought not to make much difference now, with the American striking towards Tripolitana.

Reactions On Far East

The dramatic events in North Africa will have a far-reaching effect on the global strategy of the war from the point of view of all the combatants. Attention is now centred upon Libya, where Rommel's retreating forces face a pincer. The issue of a second front in Europe has now gained an added interest and urgency and the junior European partner of the Axis must be casting anxious looks towards Sardinia and Sicily, which are marked out for attack at no distant date. For Japan, too, the developments of the last week must be providing a writing on the wall. For the regaining of the mastery of the Mediterranean will have an immediate reaction on the Far East. The restoration of the British lifeline to India, for example, will facilitate the task of supplying the British and American forces in this country and will expedite the invasion of Burma by General Wavell. The second front in Asia may be thus opened much earlier than the second front in Europe. This will naturally cause the greatest relief and jubilation in China. For six months now that country is beleaguered and cut off from all her Allies. She is holding the Far Eastern fort alone. For that matter she has been doing it for six long and lonely years now. Her Herculean efforts have been passed mostly unnoticed and it is only after the Jap Blitzkrieg struck Britain and America that the world realised the value of the heroic and single-handed part played by China all those long years. While we stand at the turn of the tide and pay a homage to Britain, Russia and America for their gallantry, let us not forget China, the seniormost and most unflinching member of the United Nations Camp.

The Village Industries Programme

A significant Communique appeared in the papers last week advising the public to take to the use of under-milled rice both on account of the high nutritive value of such rice and of the larger supply of rice that would be available if it was consumed in an under-milled state. Although it is now nearly eight years since Mahatma Gandhi advocated the use of hand-pounded rice it is only now, under the stress of war conditions, that Government see the wisdom of his advice. Insistence on under-milling is now part of the policy of Governments in countries where rice is the staple article of diet. Under-milling, however, is not enough, because the additional quantity of rice that is thus made available is only four per cent while the nutritive contents, through superior to those of milled rice, do not make an appreciable difference from the dietetic point of view. For these reasons Government will do well to fall in line with the programme advocated by the All India Village Industries Association which will result in a considerable accretion to the rice supplies of the nation and to the food value that a given quantity of the rice consumed represents.

The use of hand-processed foodstuffs was one of the principal items in the programme placed before the country by the A.-I.V.I.A. when it was started eight years ago. During the first seven years of its working, as its last annual report indicates, it has educated public opinion through literature, demonstrations and exhibitions on the need for using hand-ground flour, hand pounded rice, ghani-pressed oil from the points of view both of nutrition and of adding to the volume of employment in rural areas. From the very outset the Association has insisted on the payment of minimum wages at centres of production recognized by it and in order to make production efficient and economical, it has, side by side, introduced improvements in the tools, implements and appliances. The most outstanding of these improvements is in the designing of a new bullock-driven "ghani" which, it is claimed, gives a much better out-turn per unit than the "ghani" generally in use. The Association has subsidised the introduction of this type of "ghani" at suitable centres and has encouraged the storage of oil seeds in several areas. It has, lastly, invented a lantern, the Magan Deep, which burns vegetable oil and which can replace effectively the hurricane lantern consuming kerosene oil.

There are in all fourteen industries which, according to the report of the Association, engaged its attention during the year. Of these one of the most notable is the hand-made paper industry. Details are given of the progress achieved by the Association in various Provinces, particularly in Bombay and in the United Provinces. There was an increase in production and in sales and there has been simultaneously an improvement in the efficiency of production and in the quality of the output. Research work was carried on in the earlier stages mainly at Wardha, but now this has been taken up at centres like Poona and Kalpi. Facilitates for training in paper-making have been provided at the Village Workers' Training School conducted by the Association and these facilities are being extended, as the work develops at other centres too. Compared to the huge quantity of paper that used to be imported and the quantity produced in India paper mills, the production of the hand-made paper centres is almost insignificant, but if the systematic attempts made to develop papermaking by hand on organized lines continue, it is likely that this industry will fill, in course of time, an important place in the economic life of the nation.

Frankly Speaking

Unjust And Arbitrary

The reactions in the country against the Ordinance disowning liability to honour currency notes marked with political slogans can hardly be regarded as satisfactory even by Government. Businessmen and the public regard it as an unjust and arbitrary measure calculated to injure the interests of the Government and the people alike. The object in issuing the Ordinance was doubtless to check the progress of slogans like "Quit India." The actual result is that the practice of stamping the slogan on currency notes, which was necessarily very limited and which would have been short-lived, is given more publicity and a longer lease in one form or another. Secondly, numerous notes marked with slogans must have been in the hands of absolutely innocent persons before they were penalised, and even since the issue of the Ordinance many more must have passed into the hands of utterly illiterate persons incapable of detecting a political slogan. To declare all such notes as waste paper is an act of expropriation for which it is not possible to imagine a valid defence. The obligation to honour a promissory note must be regarded as a solemn duty which one cannot disown merely because the note has something annoying written on it.

Repeal It

The financial results of the Ordinance are also most unfortunate. Ignorant people, who have long been distrusting paper money and have been hoarding silver are now most reluctant to receive any currency notes, naturally fearing there may be some unseen risk lurking in them. As a vast proportion of our producers are ignorant and illiterate their distrustful attitude towards paper currency is a serious hindrance to business. That is not all. Their comments on Government's policy are hardly complimentary, yet by sheer repetition they become current among millions. The shortage of small coin has added to the common people's suspicious attitude. Government will do well to note all these trends of thought carefully and retrieve their blunder before its pernicious consequences go further. Perhaps they themselves realise that the Ordinance may do grave injustice to many persons. And probably it is for this very reason the Ordinance gives the Reserve Bank of India the discretion to "refund, as of grace, the whole or part of the value" of the penalised notes. But the discretion, without any published rules to guide it, only adds to the arbitrary character of the Ordinance and may be a source of flagrant discrimination and corruption. The best way is to repeal the Ordinance forthwith without making a fetish of prestige.

Poppy Day Fund

In reply to our request for certain particulars about the Poppy Day Appeal Committee, Mr. Ramnivas Ruia, Chairman of the Committee, has sent us the names of the members of the Committee and these show that it consists of seven Indians and five Europeans. He has already assured the public that "the moneys collected in India will be divided equally between Indian and British ex-Service Men." And the new Committee may be trusted to see that this assurance is honoured in every detail. Moreover, considering that this Fund is a purely humanitarian one, free from any politics, we trust there will be a generous response to the appeals in aid of the Fund.

PLEA FOR UNIFORM PRESS POLICY

CALCUTTA, Nov. 10.

A meeting of the Executive Council of the Indian Journalists' Association held at the Commercial Museum under the presidency of Mr. Prafulla Kumar Sircar has passed among others the following resolutions:—This meeting views with great concern the arrest of the following journalists under D. I. R. and requests the Government for their early release: Mr. Suresh Chandra Mazumdar (Ananda Bazar), Mr. Raj Kumar Chakravarty (Advance), Mr. Manindra Narayan Ray (Hindusthan Standard), Mr. Atulya Ghosh of Patro, Serampore, Mr. Monoranjan Guha (Bengali Harijan), Mrs. Lilabati Roy (Jayasree), Mr. Sachin Mitra (Fieldman), Mr. Niranjan Singh Talib (Deshdarpan) and Mr. Provat Kumar Ganguly (Bharat).

This Council approves of the resolution adopted at the recent All-India Newspapers Editors' Conference, held at Bombay as to the withdrawal of the restrictions imposed on the press in India by the order of August 8, 1942, and expresses satisfaction that the Government of India has seen its way to withdraw the order.

The Council urges the Government of Bengal to accept the Editors' Conference resolution and not to impose any order on the press in Bengal as regards the present movement.

The Council appoints a Committee of three, consisting of Mr. Mrinal Kanti Bose, Mr. Bidhu Bhusan Sen Gupta and Mr. Surendra Nath Niyogi, the Secretary to meet immediately the Home Minister, Government of Bengal, to convey its view point to the Government.—United Press.

Well-Known Bombay Congressman Arrested

Court Of Wai Subjudge Burnt Down: City Explosion Fatality

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

A procession started on Monday from Matunga G. I. P. Railway, reached King Circle, Matunga Police made a lathi charge. Several persons were injured and the following six persons were arrested:

Messrs. J. C. Maitra, N. A. Ramchandra Iyer, G. Parmeshwaram, R. P. Parasuram, H. A. Ved and N. P. Shivram Krishnanan.

Mr. J. C. Maitra, ex-President of the F Ward District Congress Committee, led the procession.

ARRESTED AT STOCK EXCHANGE

A batch of volunteers, three girls and four boys who attempted to picket the Stock Exchange were put under arrest in the morning.

It is learnt that the arrested persons marched into the Stock Exchange with Congress flags and were shouting Congress slogans.

One of the arrested persons is Miss Kusum Mokashi, a student.

BHAYA DIES SEQUEL TO EXPLOSION

A Bhaya was the victim of an explosion which occurred in the city this evening. He received serious injuries all over his body to which he succumbed later in the G. T. Hospital where he was duly shifted.

In Gujarat

VICTIM AT BOMB EXPLOSION DIES

AHMEDABAD, Nov. 10.

The man, who was injured as the result of the bomb explosion this morning, died in the hospital in the afternoon. It is stated that the deceased came out of his house when the bomb was thrown at the Police Chowki. The bomb exploded and he was injured.—A. P.

POST BOXES BURNT

SURAT, Nov. 10.

Cases of incendiarism and stealing of post-boxes are reported from the Jalalpore and Chorasi Talukas of Surat District. A half-burnt post-box believed to have been stolen from Rundh was found in Magdallah. It is stated that a post-box and cash have been stolen from Dhanher in Jalalpore Taluka.—A. P.

In Maharashtra

Yeravda Prison Declared Protected Area

POONA, Nov. 9.

The area round about the Yeravada prison has been declared as a "protected area" by the District Superintendent of Police, Poona, under Rule 9 of the Defence of India Rules.

Access is allowed only to residents of that locality and to those "having genuine private business not detrimental to the maintenance of public order".

Two persons were arrested under Rule 129 of the Defence of India Rules and sent to Yeravda for detention.

SEARCHES IN 'NAGAR

POONA Nov. 10.

A report from Ahmednagar states that the Ahmednagar police carried out extensive searches simultaneously at four different places in the city on Saturday morning, including the residence of Dr. Abasaheb Saptarshi, a prominent Congress worker of the city.

On charges of defying the prohibitory orders of the Government not to hold public meetings and possessing unauthorised leaflets, four persons of Malvan have been convicted under D. I. R. and sentenced to three months' R. I. and a fine of Rs. 25 each, states a message from Malvan.—A. P.

PRAJA WORKES' PROPERTY ATTACHED

POONA, Nov. 10.

On their refusal to pay the fine of Rs. 500 each imposed upon them under D. I. R., the property of 5 Praja Parishad Workers, including that of Nagaradhyaksha Shreshti, has been confiscated in lieu of the fine, states a message reaching here from Kolhapur.—A. P.

SUB-JUDGE'S COURT BURNT DOWN

SATARA, Nov. 10.

The court house of the Second Class Sub-Judge of Wai Taluka situated at Rastevada was completely burnt in the early hours of the morning of the 7th November.

The Sub-Judge and his wife who were in the premises at the time of the accident were safe.

It is stated that his belongings were also affected by the fire. The cause of the fire is not known.

The District Judge of Satara visited the place.—United Press.

COLLECTIVE FINE ON PANDHARPUR

The Government of Bombay has imposed a collective fine of Rs. 30,000 on the town of Pandharpur, in Sholapur District, where bomb explosions caused the death of one boy and injury to another.

In Karnatak

PROPERTY OF WANTED PERSONS ATTACHED

Arrests, House Searches And Convictions

BELGAUM, Nov. 10.

The Superintendent of Police, Belgaum, assisted by a party of policemen carried out searches in the village of Hosur in Belhongal taluka and took into custody 18 persons. All but one were later let off.

Two more persons were arrested at Kadroli in the same taluka. The police carried out extensive searches at Sankeshwar and arrested three boys. A country liquor shop in the village of Parswad was damaged and set on fire.

Mr. Ajjappa Tondikatti of the Gokak taluka who was wanted by the police surrendered at the Gokak Magistrate's Office.

The police have attached some movable property from the house of Mr. Tallur Lingangouda as his son Mr. T. Raygouda has not appeared before a Magistrate within the prescribed period notified by the District Magistrate.

One person of the village of Govankop was sentenced to nine months' R.I. for pasting objectionable bulletins.

Three boys of Khanapur were sentenced to two months' R.I. and to pay a fine of Rs. 50 or in default to undergo one month's further R.I. each for taking out an unauthorised procession.

RLY. STATION SET ABLAZE

HUBLI Nov. 10.

The Raybag Railway Station on the Hubli-Poona section was set on fire on Saturday night as a result of which considerable damage has been done to the building.—A. P.

SIX GIRLS JAILED

HUBLI.—Six girls of the town were sentenced to three months' imprisonment each for distributing illegal bulletins on the streets. Six persons of Hangal arrested under D.I.R.—United Press.

COLLECTIVE FINES IN DHARWAR

The Bombay Government has imposed collective fines of Rs. 10,000 on Morab and Sholwadi villages, in the Navalgund taluka (Dharwar District); Rs. 10,000 on Hebsur, Amergol and Kusugal villages, in the Hubli taluka (Dharwar District); Rs. 6,000 on Tumminkati, Mensinhal, Byadgi and Kakol villages, in the Ranebennur taluka (Dharwar District); and Rs. 6,000 on Kadur, Kudapli, Sudambi and Rattihall villages, in the Hirekerur taluka (Dharwar District).

In Bengal

ARRESTS AT PURULIA

PURULIA: — Messrs. Amar Chandra Ghosh, Chitta Bhusan Gupta, late Principal of the Majhipara Basic Training Institute, and another have been arrested under Section 38 of the Defence of India Rules. Two persons have been arrested for reciting Congress slogans in the court.

BOMB EXPLOSIONS

KARACHI, Nov. 10.

Two violent explosions of what are described crude bombs occurred at two different places in Karachi last evening within the space of a couple of hours.

No one was however injured.

One explosion occurred in Ratan Talao police lines at about 7-30 p.m. and the other two hours later in front of the city police station in the heart of the town. Pieces of glass and splinters were obtained from the scene of the latter explosion.—A.P.

BOMB IN IMPERIAL CAPITAL

NEW DELHI, November 9.

A message from New Delhi says: A country-made bomb exploded at noon near Zaraf Serai. Nobody was injured. Two women are being interrogated in this connection.

Two boys were arrested at Chandni Chowk for persuading shop-keepers to close down their shops.

In the evening, 17 men and five women were arrested for taking out a procession in defiance of the District Magistrate's order.

In Commons

CHURCHILL TO SPEAK ON MID-EAST

LONDON, Nov. 10.

Mr. Churchill announced in the Commons to-day that he would make a statement on the Middle East war situation at a very early date.

Parliament reassembled to-day. The Prime Minister Mr. Churchill was loudly cheered when he entered the Commons and again when he rose to reply to the first question addressed to him.

Asked if a Chinese representative was invited to attend the Pacific Council meetings in London and Washington and if arrangements exist for military 'liaison' between China, Britain and America, he replied "yes."

MADAGASCAR CASUALTIES

Mr. Churchill revealed in the Commons to-day that the British lost only 17 killed and 45 wounded in Madagascar between September 7 and October 17. Details of casualties since October 17 are not known but have been extremely light. Everything has been proceeding very smoothly in Madagascar since the Armistice was signed at midnight on November 5. French material taken in Madagascar would undoubtedly be used by French forces under the French Flag, who would take charge of the island.

The number of Axis submarines sank or damaged or captured has now increased to 570, Mr. A. V. Alexander announced.

TO REBUILD MALTA

The Chancellor of the Exchequer Sir Kingsley Wood announced that as a tribute to Malta's outstanding gallantry Parliamentary approval would be sought for a free gift of ten million sterling to the Malta Government or restoration of war damage and rebuilding of Malta after war. In addition to the ten million sterling Government would grant such further sums as might be required to meet liabilities beyond the capacity of the Government of Malta.

SINGAPORE PRISONERS

The War Minister, Sir James Grigg, announced that a relatively short official list giving the names of prisoners taken at Singapore has just been received from Tokyo through the International Red Cross. The Japanese have reported the majority of the names of British taken at Hong Kong.—Reuter.

TWO STUDENTS JAILED

SERAJGUNJ:—Monmotha Talukdar and two other students have been sentenced by the S.D.O. to one year's R.I. and a fine of Rs. 400 each, for leading an unauthorised procession on the evening of August 19.—A.P.

TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT

"We are children of the soil and should share all that life holds dear. I have no doubt that my Muslim fellow countrymen will share with me and my Hindu friends the universal joy of the occasion of Diwali."

—Sir Ghulam Husain Hidayatullah's latest.

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According to a Delhi report, the Azad Muslim Board has resolved to send a deputation to the United Nations.

The one thing it will be the last to receive is "priority" as regards passage.

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The last one-day session of the Council of the All-India Muslim League will go down in history as the most dramatic up-to-date.

No fewer than two men behaved almost rebelliously for no less than 20 or 30 minutes.

The grave danger was, however, successfully suppressed and the near-rebels duly—er—quietened.

We heave a sigh of relief.

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We notice, by the way, that the Qaid-e-Azam doesn't like the "Asquithian policy" of "wait and see."

He obviously believes in that of "wait and don't see."

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"The (Muslim League) Council passed Sir Currimbhoy Ebrahim's resolution on Palestine Arabs".—A.P.

What was it, Sir Reginald?

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Our Anglo-Indian contemporary agrees that it was "a wise move on the part of the United Nations to leave the first landings to the Americans, whose 'bona fides' no Frenchman can question."

The compliment implies also a confession which no Indian can question.

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From a report of Herr Hitler's speech: "It was this special town (Stalingrad) that I wanted. (Here Hitler rapped emphatically on the desk.)"

And hurt his own palm. And that is about all that he has realised of his want.

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"Do you think," asked the Fuehrer, "I do not eat by heart out when I think of the British air attacks on Germany?"

The fellow must possess superflint teeth.

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"I do not forget," declares the German leader.

His enemies threaten, on the other hand, that they do not forgive.

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"Is your chief in?" thundered the angry client.

"No, sir, he's gone out," replied the office-boy.

"Then why is his hat on that peg"?

"Well, he can't stand in the cupboard with it on, can he?"

Our Readers' Views

"Proselytizing In Sophia College"

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—In connection with Sophia College question, one feels that God is one's own private property, and the thoroughfares, main and small, upon which one travels in order to reach Him and how we travel is also entirely one's private concern. How matters it then, if a certain completely adolescent individual in Sophia College chooses to suddenly change her road and take to another and newer one, provided she reaches her Ultimate Goal? Is it not far better to be "In Tune With The Infinite" in one's own way then be altogether out of tune, in a way one cannot find?—Yours etc

BAPSEY SABAVALA.

Oct. 28.

Congress Vs. Communists

To The Editor of "The Chronicle".

Sir,—As Monday's "Chronicle" devotes a column and a half on the edit page to a letter entitled "When Extremes Meet," it is evidently not a private quarrel between "M.J.G." the writer and the Communist Party. And in a public quarrel, I suppose, it is open to any member of the public to enter the lists without being either a Communist or Congressite.

"M.J.G." ridicules the Indian Communists for calling themselves a revolutionary party but, turning suddenly constitutional and non-violent and "expressing abhorance at acts of sabotage", when the Congress has called for an "open rebellion". He finds it strange that these world revolutionaries should to-day be "out-moderating the moderates" by making Hindu-Muslim Unity the chief plank of their immediate programme. He accuses them of "acting in concert" with the Imperialist bureaucracy, although "in words and expressions heaping plenty of abuse"—thus extremes are meeting. He finally imagines that the Communists, who to-day are shouting for a People's war will soon be clamouring for a People's peace, Japan or no Japan, the moment Soviet Russia makes a separate peace with the fascists (incidentally what a morbid supposition after the immoral and soul-stirring defence of Stalingrad).

In explanation of the strange behaviour of the Communists, "M.J.G." says that "the communists are patriots, but not of their Motherland, but of the Fatherland—Soviet Russia." He refers as to the unpatriotic conduct of the British communists in clamouring for a People's Peace during the period of the Soviet-German Pact. In order that students and others may not be deceived in India, he wants us to read "Russia and Ourselves" by Victor Gollancz.

I happen to have read that book and others and I generally agree with the criticism of Gollancz, Strachey and Wintringham that the British and French communists followed a wrong and suicidal policy during 1939-40. I may further admit that the Moscow trials and purges have left a bad taste in my mouth—and doubts that still linger. But having admitted all that, it does not necessarily follow that one must condemn the communists even when they happen to be in the right, unless one belongs to that perverted and pathological species of Socialists, who deem it their duty to abuse the communists in season and out.

I do not hold the Communist International infallible; neither is there any reason to so consider the Indian National Congress. If the communist policy has not been always consistent during this war, what can one say of the somersaults of the Indian Congress—after heaping verbal sympathy on Spain, China, Russia and other victims of Fascist aggression, to-day for all practical purposes, acting in a way as to help none except the fascists. By what democratic vote for instance, was the decision taken to withdraw the duly elected Congress ministries from office or to launch the present movement? Ordinary people will judge both by the one acid test of fruits of their actions and results of their policy. We Indians are not particularly concerned with what mistakes were made in which year by the British or French Communists, All that we want to know is if the Indian Communists are right or wrong (1) in characterising the present Congress movement as suicidal in the present circumstances of India and in the final interest of the Indian masses; (2) in pressing for Hindu-Muslim unity as the one sure way of taking things out of the control of the present irresponsible bureaucracy.

In my humble and individual opinion, the only possible and plausible justification for launching such a movement with the enemy knocking at the gate was the one offered by Pundit Nehru and Maulana Azad. Pointing out how inefficient and incapable the British bureaucracy had proved itself in Malaya and Burma, they said let us, before it is too late, get the control of things out of the hands of a similar bureaucracy in India and turn this into a real People's war against the Fascist invaders.

But, immartially viewed, what are the positive results of this struggle, which we were promised would be successful within a week or two—at the most before the rains are over (a la Shankerrao Deo at Nare Park)? And time is the essence of the situation.

To-day even without an actual invasion people have lost whatever few constitutional rights and liberties they had, and their sufferings are daily on the increase with bureaucratic repression on the one hand and Congress sabotage on the other. And honestly speaking, are the defences of India against Japanese aggression any better to-day than before Cripps came? If to-morrow Japan invades, the same inefficient bureaucracy will put up whatever resistance is possible to it; but with this essential and decisive difference that its efforts will be hampered at every stage by the consequences of our own actions. What army in the world, even if brave and well-equipped, can fight effectively, with communications systematically tampered with in the rear?

If I remember right, at the Press conference after Cripps' failure Jawaharlal was asked what he would do if Subhas Bose entered India at the head of an invading army. Jawaharlal promptly replied he would take up arms even against Subhas. But, by the irony of fate and the inevitable logic of Congress policy, to-day Nehru and Azad lie gagged and helpless in jail and Subhas is free and daily gaining control of the movement. Anyone who keeps his ears and eyes open will admit this.

To-day, several nationalist papers, who only yesterday were saying that we need not care a damn for what outsiders thought of us, as Dr. Pattabhi said India had no friends outside India, are unblushingly filling their columns with the utterances of Brailsford, Maxton, Russel, Willkie, Pearl Buck, Louis Fischer and Edward Thompson, etc., criticising the Indian bureaucracy and rightly too. But, can they point out a single word of approval from anywhere in the wide world outside the Axis, justifying the present Congress movement? Our friends can at best 'explain' what provoked the Congress to accept a counsel of despair and take this desperate plunge. But explanation is not justification.

But if you want approval and justification, glowing and unstinted tune in this evening to Berlin, Rome, Tokio, Saigaon or Bangkok. Any will do.—Yours, etc.

M. G. DESAI.

'DAWN OF VICTORY'

R. P. Masani's Poppy Day Appeal

The following statement has been issued by Mr. R. P. Masani, Provincial Leader of the National War Front, Bombay, for the Poppy Day.

To-day, we pay once more our homage to the memory of the heroes of the last Great War who laid down their lives in upholding the cause of human freedom and progress. In observing the day sacred to their cherished memory, we are thankful to behold, to quote the words of His Excellency the Governor of Bombay in his Poppy Day Appeal, "the dawn of victory which has appeared this November."

The members of the National War Front had never any doubt as to the triumph of the forces of light over the forces of darkness in the present conflict. Despite reverses and losses, we have looked confidently to the day of victory of the United Nations now fighting for the cause of freedom and civilization. Let us to-day reaffirm our faith in that victory and redouble our effort to continue to sustain our fighting forces in their heroic stand for freedom and justice, until they succeed in routing completely the forces of aggression and despotism and in ushering a new era in which man will meet man on equal terms and in which the doctrine of fellowship of men and human liberty and dignity shall increasingly prevail.

POPPY DAY APPEAL

The following are the names of the members of the Poppy Day Appeal Committee on whose behalf Mr. Ramnivas Ramnarain Ruia issued an appeal.

Mr. Ramnivas Ruia—Chairman: Mr. C. P. Bramble—Vice-Chairman; Mr. A. A. Wheelan—Hon. Secretary; Mr. F. R. Mistry—Hon. Treasurer; Mrs. Bapsey Sabavala; Mrs. Neville Wadia, Col. S. S. Sokhey, Messrs. D. F. Karaka, J. P. Blackmore; D. R. Wilsdon; J. S. Tilley and A. A. Jasdenvala—members.

First Indian Chairman's Appeal

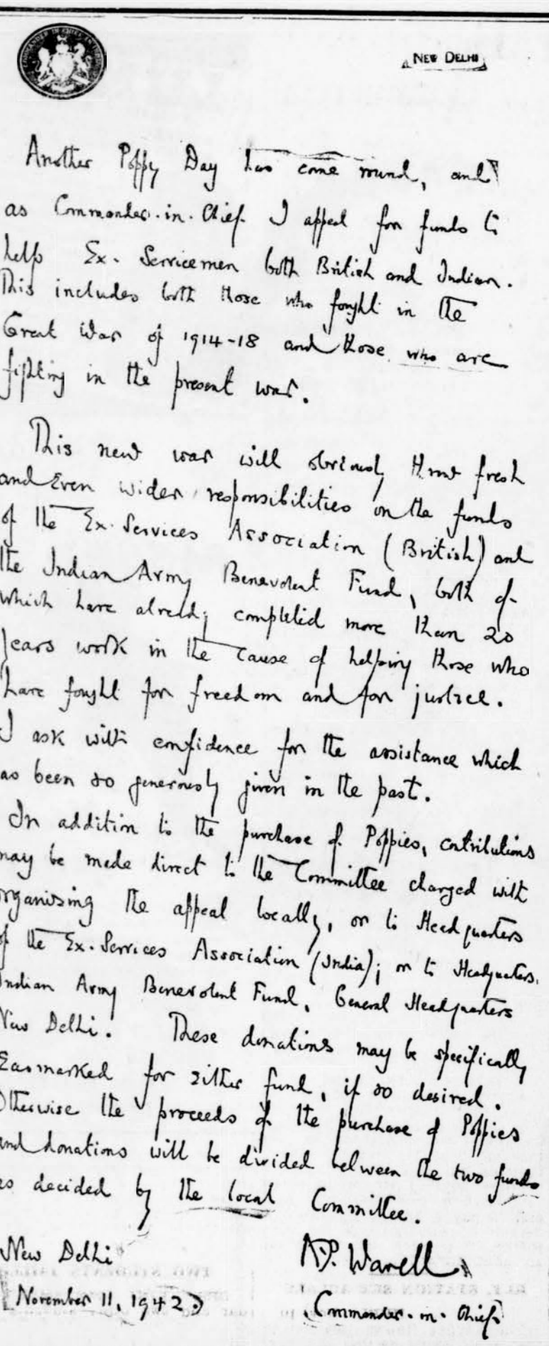
Mr. Ramnivas Ramnarain Ruia, Chairman, Poppy Day Appeal 1942 Fund has issued the following appeal:—

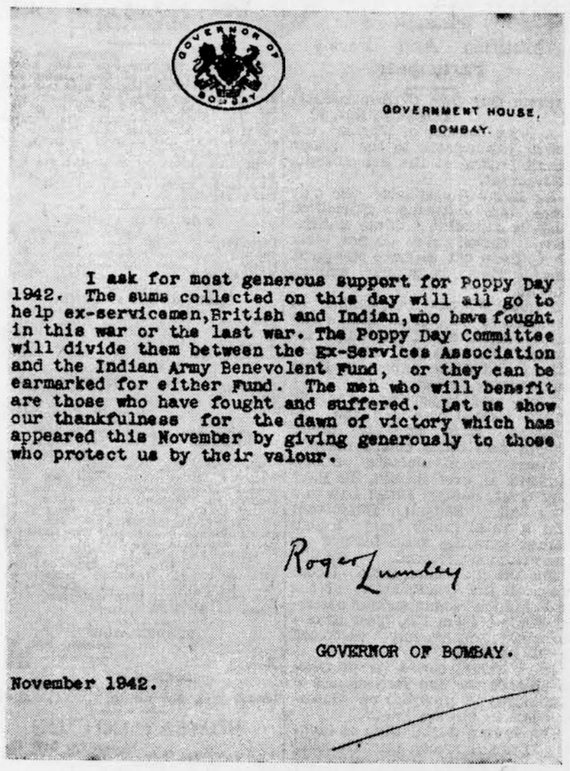
"This appeal on Poppy Day is made to you for the first time over an Indian's signature, because as from this year, the moneys collected in India will be divided equally between Indian and British ex-Servicemen.

It is scarcely necessary to point out that no political significance attaches to this appeal. There are certain human feelings which cannot be regulated by political conditions, and the ordinary courtesies which man must extend to his fellowmen still remain the essence of decent living all over the World. My appeal to you is motivated by this one thought alone, because I believe in all sincerity, that the cause for which I beg, is essentially a humanitarian cause, and its equal distribution now makes it an equitable proposition.

There are to-day over a million Indians fighting in this War. There are many more millions of British soldiers fighting side by side. All these men will not come out unscathed, even as they did not out of the last War. Some of these gaunt and hungering men of 1914-18 unknown to us as individuals are still walking over the face of this World, patiently bearing the sorrows which the War inflicted on them, and of these men so many are in this country. I believe we should do something for these living dead. That is why I ask for your help in whatever way your purse will permit.

Donations may be addressed to me on to the Honorary Treasurer, Poppy Day Appeal Fund 1942, C/o Lloyds Bank, Bombay.


NEW DELHI
Another Poppy Day has come round, and I as Commander-in-Chief I appeal for funds to help Ex-Servicemen both British and Indian. This includes both those who fought in the Great War of 1914-18 and those who are fighting in the present war.
This new war will obviously throw fresh and even wider responsibilities on the funds of the Ex-Services Association (British) and the Indian Army Benevolent Fund, both of which have already completed more than 20 years work in the cause of helping those who have fought for freedom and for justice.
I ask with confidence for the assistance which has been so generously given in the past.
In addition to the purchase of Poppies, contributions may be made direct to the Committee charged with organising the appeal locally, or to Headquarters of the Ex-Services Association (India); or to Headquarters, Indian Army Benevolent Fund, General Headquarters New Delhi. These donations may be specifically Earmarked for either fund, if so desired. Otherwise the proceeds of the purchase of Poppies and donations will be divided between the two funds as decided by the local Committee.
New Delhi
November 11, 1942
A. P. Wavell
Commander-in-Chief


GOVERNMENT HOUSE, BOMBAY.
I ask for most generous support for Poppy Day 1942. The sums collected on this day will all go to help ex-servicemen, British and Indian, who have fought in this war or the last war. The Poppy Day Committee will divide them between the Ex-Services Association and the Indian Army Benevolent Fund, or they can be earmarked for either Fund. The men who will benefit are those who have fought and suffered. Let us show our thankfulness for the dawn of victory which has appeared this November by giving generously to those who protect us by their valour.
Roger Lumley
GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY.
November 1942.

Governor Appeals For Momentary Pause On Armistice Day

The Director of Information writes:—

The Governor of Bombay wishes that the 24th anniversary of the Armistice this year should be marked by a momentary pause for the reverent remembrance of the glorious dead, to take place at 11 a.m. railway time, on November 11.

He also desires that all Christian churches should hold their services at such hours as will enable two minutes' silence to take place during service at 11 a.m.

In view of present circumstances due to the war it is not practicable to provide for a universal signal, but the Governor trusts that individuals will continue to make this reverent acknowledgement of our debt to the fallen.

POLAND'S INDEPENDENCE DAY

November 11th, 1918 is considered the day on which Poland recovered her independence. This day has been observed in Poland as Independence Day. It was on Armistice Day that the Polish Council of Regency, set up by the Central Powers after their victory over Tsarist Russia, handed over the reigns of government to Marshal Pilsudski—the creator and leader of the Polish legions during the World War—upon his return to Warsaw from Magdeburg Castle where he was imprisoned by the Germans. Jozef Pilsudski, the first Marshal of Poland, formed the then new Polish Government and created order out of chaos throughout a territory that had groaned under the yoke of the partitioning Powers for nearly a century and a half.

Poland has once again fallen victim to an aggressor—to the Nazi hordes who, with an overdose of frightfulness are attempting to germanise the Polish lands.

But to-day, the Independence Day of Poland, every Pole, in and outside Poland, having full faith in the might of his country's fighting forces on land, sea and air, and that of his country's Ally Great Britain, feels assured of final victory. Poland although deprived of her Homeland has an Army the fifth in strength among the United Nations, said General Sikorski, the Polish Prime Minister. Poland has not stopped fighting abroad, in Great Britain, in the Middle East, in the Far East, etc., as well as on the home front in spite of the iron hand with which the Nazis are trying to suppress this struggle. Sabotage and a secret press are carrying on their fight in defiance of the Gestapo. There is one thing of which every Pole is proud. Poland's enemies, despite every temptation offered, have not yet found and will never find a Quisling.

Portion Of Wall Collapses

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

A portion of the first floor wall of the Fram Mahal situated at the junction of Dhobi Talao and Kalbadevi suddenly collapsed to-day night. A labourer who was sitting on the foothpath below received slight injuries. He was removed to the G. T. Hospital for treatment.

NEW YORK: Immediate enactment of compulsory National Service Legislation is opposed in the report of Man-Power Commission made to President Roosevelt.

GIRAUD'S TASK IN NORTH AFRICA

(Continued from Page 1)

France is a secret. "We have had conversations and he and I understand each other perfectly", said Lt.-Gen. Eisenhower. "There is no doubt that we will work perfectly together. He has my full support. He will make a valuable ally".

AXIS CLAIMS REFUTED

The American spokesman from the Allied Headquarters stated today that enemy air activity over Algiers has been slight and the Axis claims regarding air operations have been grossly exaggerated.

The report that six Allied warships and four transport have been damaged by air attacks is false.

He explained that British troops together with the R. A. F. are now operating on land with the American forces in North Africa. No details are available as to the number of prisoners taken but the casualties among the Allied forces so far have been slight. It is presumed that Oran is now encircled. The situation at Casablanca is obscure. Landings have been made both north and south of the port and there was considerable naval activity but the latest reports do not indicate what the situation is ashore.

Oran And Three Other Towns Occupied

LONDON, Nov. 10.

Allied Headquarters in North Africa:—It is officially announced that land operations in Algiers ceased during Armistice negotiations.

American troops have captured Oran. The French battleship "Jean Bart" is burning in Casabianca port.

It is announced that Safi, Fedhala and Media are in Allied hands.—Reuter.

Will Fr. Fleet Side With Allies?

Reuter's naval correspondent writes:—

The astonishing position, if Admiral Darlan is at Algiers, suggests that important development concerning the French Navy is imminent.

The reasonable implication is that the fleet will renounce aggressive resistance against the Allies.

The loss of Admiral Darlan means that Vichy is robbed of the single personality capable of holding her fleet together in a crisis. Hitler too is robbed of his most effective potential instrument for the use of the French Fleet in the last resort for German purposes. To even the most anti-British of French naval officers and men, it must be clear that if they are to save the honour of France they must act now.

A BENEFIT SHOW

In Aid Of Hajee Bachooali Free Ophthalmic Hospital

A benefit show of the popular film "Sant Tukaram" has been arranged, through the generosity of Mr. Baburao Pai of the Famous Picture Ltd., in aid of the Khan Bahadur Haji Bachooali Free Ophthalmic Hospital, Parel, at the New West-End Theatre on Sunday, November 14 at 9 a.m. (S.T.). The management of the Theatre has also kindly allowed the use of the theatre without any charge. Mr. M. R. A. Baig, Sheriff of Bombay, will preside over the function.

The hospital, which was founded in 1914 and which is located in the mill area at Parel, is treating, free of charge, poor patients—irrespective of caste or creed—suffering from the diseases of the eye, and thus contributes, to no small extent, to the solution of the problem of medical relief in the city. In spite of that it has a nominal permanent fund and no fixed source of income other than the annual grant of Rs. 2,000 from the Municipal Corporation.

The proceeds of "Sant Tukaram" will be of great help to the hospital in its present state of financial stringency. Tickets (Rs. 4/8; 3/6; 2/4; 1/12; 1/2; As. 12; As. 9) can be had from Dr. D. S. Sardesai, 213 Charni Road and Dr. D. G. Vyas, Sekhsaria Building, Sandhurst Road.

U. S. Advance In Guadalcanar Continues

Thrust Eastward Along Coast Near Metapona River

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.

The Navy Department has issued the following "communique" on South Pacific: "On November 7 United States troops continued to advance from the area near Metapona river, eastward along the northern coast of Guadalcanar Island.

There is no fighting in the area west of our positions on Guadalcanar. On November 8 United States planes attacked ground installations and destroyed six landing boats on beaches to the west of our positions on Guadalcanar.

United States aircraft destroyed three float type byplanes at Rekata Bay. A United States destroyer bombarded enemy areas east of Koli point on the north-coast of Guadalcanar.

Early on the night of November 8 United States motor torpedo-boats attacked two enemy destroyers in indispensable strait and scored a torpedo hit on one of the destroyers.

The United States destroyer announced in a previous "communique" as having been sunk during the night of October 11-12 was the American destroyer "Duncan". The next of Kin of five officers and 58 enlisted killed or missing have been notified".—

POST OFFICE GUTTED

SYLHET, Nov. 9.

The Chhalibandar Branch Post Office at Sylhet Town was gutted last night with all its record and postal articles. The police with the help of A. R. P. volunteers and the public put out the fire in a short time.—A. P.

ESSENTIAL COMMODITIES CAN BE STORED

Bihar Govt. Sanction To Industrial Concerns

PATNA, Nov. 9.

That industrial concerns can store essential commodities in excess of the permissible maximum with the permission of the District Magistrate is made clear by the Bihar Government in reply to a representation made by the Bihar Chamber of Commerce inviting the attention of the Government to the fact that the essential commodities ordinance of 1942 which prohibited the possession and storage of essential commodities beyond a certain maximum, will very much handicap the industrial concerns which have to employ a large contingent of labour and provide for their essential needs.

The Chamber is also understood to have addressed a letter to the Government of India urging upon the immediate initiation of the scheme of providing the province with the "Standard Cloth" which it points out is very necessary in view of the rising price of cloth now prevailing.—A. P.

ITALIAN CRUISER HIT

LONDON, Nov. 10.

An Air Ministry communique that a British submarine scored a hit on a six-inch Italian cruiser off the north coast of Sicily.

The enemy vessel was later seen to have stopped.

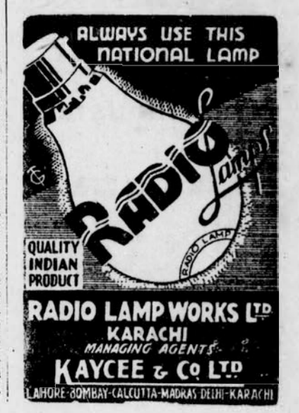
R.A.F. RAIDS HAMBURG

An Air Ministry Communique states: "Last night a strong force of our bombers attacked targets at several places in north-west Germany, including Hamburg. Cloud was widespread and crews reported severe icing but a considerable tonnage of bombs was dropped. Fifteen of our aircraft are missing."

BR. SUBMARINE'S BIG BAG

An Admiralty 'communique' today says, "His Majesty's submarine 'Protheus' has recently returned to this country after many successful patrols in the Mediterranean. Under the command of Lt. Commander P. S. Francis H.M.S. "Protheus" sank five enemy supply ships and a troopship of 8,000 tons. She also torpedoed a second troopship, a tanker escort vessel and another medium sized supply ship which, although final results were not observed, were all probably sunk. —Reuter.

A case under D. I. R. has been registered in New Delhi against a house-owner of New Delhi, who is alleged to have taken forcible possession of his house on Prithvi Raj Road, which had been requisitioned by the Government of India for the purposes of the Chinese Commissioner in India.—A. P.



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DIVALI IN LONDON
Muslims And Parsis Participate

(From Our Own Correspondent)
LONDON, Nov. 10.

A large number of Muslims and Parsis participated in the Hindu Divali festival at the Bengal-India Restaurant.

Sir Azizul Huque said: We may have our domestic difficulties. That is our affair. Other nations have theirs. We do not talk about them but we have one great asset. That is India's ancient culture.

I hope it would be possible to establish in London an Indian cultural centre, where not only Indians can meet but also meet others and make known to them our country better.

I am glad to participate in the Hindu festival of Divali and to meet so many of my Hindu friends and other countrymen.

Those present included Indian students all over Britain, Sir Harising Gour, Shamal Dhari Lall and Mrs. Lall. Bengali, Hindustani and Marathi music and Indian dances were the main feature in the afternoon festival.

For the first time, India House which is the Headquarters of the Indian High Commissioner observed Hindu-Muslim New Year days—an innovation warmly welcomed by all Indians.

India House closed its premises to observe the Idd festival and it also closed its premises on Saturday last to observe Divali.

The Indian Social Club is holding Divali luncheon on Thursday where All Indian communities and Anglo-Indians will be represented.

Diwali Celebrated On Board The Ship

KARACHI, Nov. 9.

Diwali was celebrated on board H. M. I. S. "Bahadur" to-day when the Captain, the officers and the ships company were joined by a party of prominent citizens including a number of ladies.

All the Indian Officers, trainees and recruits who looked extremely fit spent a most enjoyable evening.

Captain Learmont, Commanding Officer of the ship, wished the Hindu Cadets, a "happy Diwali"—A.P.

EDUCATIONIST DEAD

HUBLI, Nov. 10.

Mr. Vinayakrao Babaji Joshi, retired Educational Inspector, Southern Division, died at his residence in Dharwar to-day at 1 p.m. at the age of 87. He was a great educationist and was chairman of the Karnatak Shikshan Samiti. He was also chairman of the Karnatak Education Society, Dharwar.—A. P.

Maternity Benefit For Textile Workers

The cotton textile industry has compensated workers for the rise in the cost of living by granting dearness allowances. This allowances were not applicable to women workers in receipt of maternity benefits. The Factory Department of the Government of Bombay, therefore, approached the Millowners' Associations of Bombay and Ahmedabad with a suggestion that the rate of maternity benefit should be 12 annas a day instead of the eight annas provided by section 5(1) of the Bombay Maternity Benefit Act, 1929. The Millowners' Association, Bombay, has decided to pay for the duration of the war and three months thereafter a surcharge of 50 per cent of the total amount payable on maternity benefit to an employee; while the Association in Ahmedabad has agreed to recommend the suggestion of the Factory Department to all its members. The Government of Bombay desires to express its appreciation of the ready response which the Association have given to this suggestion.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Bombay, Nov. 10.

On Monday the New York cotton market was quietly steady. At the opening there was moderate trade buying but later there appeared some hedge selling at the opening March was quoted 2 points up at 18.80 and later declined to 18.76. The market closed at a net decline of 2 points to unchanged. Spot cotton prices improved one point at 20.34c. per lb.

The New Orlean cotton market was quiet and closed at a decline of 2 to 3 points. Spot cotton prices declined 3 points at 19.29c. per lb.

NEW YORK COTTON.
New York, Nov. 9.

December	18.64
January	18.69
March	18.76—02
Middling spot	20.34—01

NEW ORLEANS COTTON
New York, Nov. 9.

December	18.84—02
January	18.88—02
March	18.97—03
Middling spot	19.29—03

NOON CALL.
New York, Nov. 9.

December	18.68
March	18.81
May	18.82

GOLD AND SILVER

Bombay, Nov. 10.

The local market was quiet to-day with increased selling. Encouraging war news discouraged buyers and there was more disposition to liquidate. Ready silver was quoted at Rs. 109/8 and gold stood at Rs. 65/4. It will be interesting to note that during Diwali festival gold was quoted at Rs. 72 and silver was done at Rs. 115/8. Sovereigns also after advancing to Rs. 52 declined to Rs. 47/8. The market was quiet with few buyers. Later on business was freely transacted in the hall. Kartak silver was quoted at Rs. 105/8 and ready was placed at Rs. 108/8.

LONDON SILVER.
London, Nov. 9.

Spot	23 1/2
Forward	23 1/2

LONDON GOLD.
London, Nov. 9.

London gold, fine per oz.	£8-8-0

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, Nov. 10.

As usual the local market was officially open to-day but no business was done in the trading room. I.C.C. January was quoted privately as Rs. 399. Later on there was increased selling and prices declined to Rs. 395/8.

LONDON EXCHANGES.
London, Nov. 9.

T. T. London on :—
New York sellers 4.02 1/2 buyers 4.03 1/2
Madrid official 40.5
Montreal sellers 4.43 buyers 4.47
Zurich sellers 17.3 buyers 17.4
Stockholm sellers 16.85 buyers 16.95

MONEY MARKET

Bombay, Nov. 10.

LONDON—
Banks buying 90 Days/St. 1/6 9/32 Two Months.
Banks buying 90 Days/St. 1/6 5/16 Three Months.
Banks buying 90 Days/St 1/6 5/16 Four Months.
B C Rates T T 1/5 15/16 D D 1/5 15/16
Banks selling T T 1/5 31/32 D D 1/5 31/32
Banks buying T T 1/6 1/32 D D 1/6 5/32
LONDON/NEW YORK—
Banks selling T T Rs. 332 3/4 D D Rs. 332 3/4
Banks buying T T Rs. 329 1/2 D D Rs 326 1/2
LONDON/MONTREAL—
Banks selling T T Rs. 302 1/2 D D Rs. 302 1/2
Banks buying T T Rs. 297 3/4 D D Rs 294 3/4
LONDON/BERNE—
Banks selling T T Fcs 126 3/4
Banks buying T T Fcs 131 1/2
LONDON/STOCKHOLM
Banks selling T T K 123 D D K 123
Banks buying T T K 128 D D K 128
MEXICO/LONDON—
Banks selling T T Rs 67.27 D D Rs 66.27
Banks buying T T Rs 63.04 D D Rs 62.04
LISBON/LONDON—
Banks selling T T Esc 7.35 nom D D Esc 7.35 nom
Banks buying T T Esc 7.55 D D Esc 7.55
AUSTRALIA/LONDON—
Banks selling T T 1/10 3/8 D D 1/10 3/8
Banks buying T T — D D 1/11 3/8
Tone of Sterling Exchange :—Steady.
Gold £8-8-0 Ready
New York Silver 44 3/4
London Silver 23 1/2 Ready 23 1/2 Forward
London Discounts 3 months 1 1/16 per cent
London Discounts 6 months 1 1/8 per cent
Reserve Bank Rate 3 per cent
Bank of England Rate 2 per cent.
Money :—Call and 1 to 3 months not quoted.
4 to 6 months 1/4 per cent.
7 to 12 months 1/2 per cent
Tone :—Very Easy

Madras Share Bazar

MADRAS, Nov. 10.

The following are closing quotations on the Madras Stock Exchange :—

Sugars and Breweries : Deccan Big 255; do small 59; Mysore Sugar 60/8; Travancore 15/12.

Plantings : Cochin Malabar 18cr; Chembra Peaks 8/13; Coorg 47/8; Cochin 20/4; High Produce 37/8; Kalepea 38/4; Malankara 79; Manalar 7/2; Read 7/12; Midland 15; Ouchterlony 8/10; Peermade 39/4; Rajagiri 15/4; Travancore 18/2; Vaikundam 17/10; Vellaimalai 21/10; Vellium 35.

Textiles : B. and C. ord 290; Cambodia 32/12; Coimbatore Spg 202 cd; Coimbatore Pioneer 350; Dhanulaxmi 352/8; Janardhana 154 ch; Kaleeswarar 517/8; Kothari; Tex 21; Lakshmi 189; Mettur 238; Madura 55/8; M. Pankaja 255; Palani Andavar 158; Rajalakshmi 200; Radhakrishna 340; Rangavilas 149; Vasantha 252.

Miscellaneous : And. Cement 98; Bruntons 13/4; Ind. St. Roll 7/10; Mysore Lampas 14/12; Mysore Chem. and Fet. 24/9; Mysore Paper 21; Mettur Chem. 24 cd; do def 8/2; Sangareel 10; Spencer 7/10.

Tenders For Treasury Bills

Tenders for Rs. Ten Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills were opened on Tuesday, the 10th November, 1942. Total amount offered was Rs. 14,05,25,000. Tenders at Rs. 99-13-6 and above were accepted in full and those at Rs. 99-13-3 allotted approximately 63 per cent. Lower tenders were rejected. Total amount accepted was Rs. Ten Crores, the average rate of accepted tenders being Rs. 6-10-4 per cent per annum.

Tenders for Rs. Ten Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills will be received on Tuesday, the 17th November, 1942, in Bombay up to 11 a.m. (S.T.) and up to the close of business on Monday, the 16th November, 1942 at other centres. Successful tenderers should make payment on Friday, the 20th November, 1942. Other conditions are as usual.

During the week ended 6th November, 1942, Government of India Treasury Bills for Rs. 70,00,000 were sold in favour of the Issue Department of the Reserve Bank of India.

Latest Commercial

COTTON

MARCH
New York, Nov. 10.

Previous closing	18.76
To-day's opening	18.74
Difference	—02

CROSS RATES
T. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON
New York, Nov. 10.

Previous closing	4.03 3/4
To-day's opening	

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK
London, Nov. 10

Previous closing 4.02 1/2 sellers; 4.03 1/2 buyers.
To-day's opening 4.02 1/2 sellers; 4.03 1/2 buyers.
To-day's closing 4.02 1/2 sellers; 4.03 1/2 buyers.

LONDON COMMODITIES
SEEDS
London, Nov. 10

Castorseeds Bombay November/December (£28 1/2 quoted) £28 1/2 quoted
Linseed Calcutta November/December (£23 quoted) £23 quoted
Linseed La Plata November/December unquoted.
Groundnuts Coromandal November/December East Coast Indian shipment (£24 1/4 quoted) £24 1/4 quoted. West Coast Indian shipment (£25 quoted) £25 quoted

LONDON METALS
Electric Copper (£62) £62
Lead (£25) £25
Glasgow Iron No. 3 (131 sh.) 131 sh.

LONDON BULLION
LONDON GOLD
London, Nov. 10

London Gold (£8-8-0) £8-8-0

LONDON SILVER
London, Nov. 10

Spot (23 1/2d) 23 1/2d
Forward (23 1/2d) 23 1/2d.

CROSS RATES
London, Nov. 10

London on Bombay (1-5 1/32 sellers 1-5 31/32 buyers) 1-5 1/32 sellers; 1-5 31/32 buyers
New York on Bombay (30.36) 30.36

DISCOUNTS
3 months (1 1/32 to 1 1/16 per cent) 1 1/32 to 1 1/16 per cent
4 months (1 1/16 to 1 1/4 per cent) 1 1/16 to 1 1/4 per cent
6 months (1 1/16 to 1 1/8 per cent) 1 1/16 to 1 1/8 per cent

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE
London, Nov. 10

The London Stock Exchange was mostly steady.

New York Stock Exchange

New York, Nov. 10.

New York Stock Exchange opening prices :
General Motors dol 43
Anaconda Copper Mining dol 27 1/8
United State sSteel Common dol 51 1/8
United States Steel Preference dol 112 1/8

NEW YORK COTTON
Bombay, Nov. 10.

New York cotton market will remain closed on Wednesday, November 11.

3½ PER CENT STERLING LOAN
London, Nov. 10

3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed to-day at £100 5/8

AUSTRALIAN LOAN
5 per cent Commonwealth £101 1/16

BRITISH FUNDS
2 1/2 per cent British Consols £32
3 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan £106 13/16
3 per cent Conversion Loan £100 3/8
4 per cent War Loan £113 7/8
3 1/2 per cent War Loan £104 1/16
3 per cent War Loan £101 15/16
4 per cent Victory Bonds £114 1/8

INDUSTRIALS
Standard Motors 21-0
Marks and Spencer Ordinary 42-5
Electric Music Industry 17-7 1/2
Pinchin Johnson 30-0
Imperial Chemical 36-9
Woolsworth Ordinary 57-9
São Paulo 7 per cent Coffee Rates £79 Ex Div.
Dunlop Rubber 35-0
Unilever Ordinary 31-3
Ford Motors 32-3
Cables and Wireless New Ordinary £76 1/4
British American Tobacco Ordy £4 29/32
Carreras 'A' £6 7/32
Imperial Tobacco Ordinary £7
P and O Defd 35-9
Distiliers 84-9
Bredford Dyers 15-10 1/2
British Celanese 15-9
J and P Coates 43-0
Courtaulds Ordinary 44-6
Fine Cotton Spinners 15-10 1/2
Vickers Limited Ordinary 18-7 1/2
Inter Nickels 46-9
Indian Iron 47-5

TEA SHARES
Assam 17-9
Donaro Tea 32-0
Empire of India 18-6

JUTE
Barnagore £5

RUBBER SHARES
Anglo Dutch Rubber 14-0
Gula Kelampong 10-7 1/2
Rubber Plant 19-0

MINING SHARES
Nandydrug 18-4 1/2
Burma Corporation 6-0
Rio Tintos £10
East Rand Properties £2
Rand Mines £7

MINE SHARES
Crown £9 3/8
Associated Portland Cement 57-6
Trinidad Leasehold 75-7 1/2
Sub-Nigel £5 3/8
Spring Mines Split Shares £0 15/16
Union Corporation 152-6

OIL SHARES
Venezuela Persian 41-3
Anglo-Indian 78-1 1/2
Burma Oil £2 13/16
Mexican Eagle £12 7 1/2
Shell Transport £3 3/8
Royal Dutch £26 1/4

RAILWAY SHARES
Great Western Ordinary £55 1/4
London Midland Ordinary £25 3/4
London North Eastern Defd £4 3/4
London Southern Defd £21 7/8
London Transport 5 per cent £127
London Transport 'C' £55 1/2

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.
London, Nov. 9.

Rupee Paper 3 1/2 per cent	£67 1/2
Indian Stock 3 1/2 per cent 1931 or later	£100 5/8
Consols 2 1/2 per cent	£82 1/8
Conversion Loan 3 1/2 per cent 1961	£105 13/16
War Loan 3 1/2 per cent	£104 1/16
Funding Loan 4 per cent 1960/90	£114
Victory Bonds 4 per cent	£114 1/4
Chartered Bank of I.A. & China	£8 5/8
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank (London Reg.)	£70
National Bank of India,	£30 1/4

LONDON WHEAT.
London, Nov. 9.

Wheat Rozario Santa Fe	Nov/Dec. quoted 26
Wheat Barletta Russo	
Wheat South Australia	Nov/Dec. quoted 26

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SUBSCRIPTION LIST FOR THE PUBLIC WILL OPEN ON 10TH NOVEMBER, 1942, AND CLOSE ON 14TH NOVEMBER, 1942, AT THE OPTION OF DIRECTORS.

The Registered Office of the Bank, all branches of Imperial Bank of India, Central Bank of India Ltd., Punjab National Bank Ltd., Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, Indian Bank Ltd., Bank of Bihar Ltd., Allahabad Bank Ltd., and all offices of Bharat Insurance Co., Ltd. and Dalmia Cement & Paper Marketing Co., Ltd., will accept applications reaching them between 10th November and 14th November, 1942, both days inclusive, and grant receipts for payments made. Application posted on the 14th November and received even later at the Registered Office of the Company will be considered as having been received within time. Cash or cheques or drafts on any place will be acceptable without any banking charges. Prospectus and application forms can be obtained at all the above Banks and offices.

(A Copy of this Prospectus has been filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, DELHI)

BHARAT BANK LTD.

DELHI

AUTHORISED CAPITAL: Rs. 20 CRORES

ISSUED CAPITAL: Rs. 15 CRORES

ISSUED CAPITAL:
DIVIDED INTO

2,00,000—6 per cent. less income-tax cumulative PREFERENCE shares of Rs. 100/- each.
12,94,000—ORDINARY shares of Rs. 100/- each. 6,00,000 DEFERRED shares of Re. 1/- each.
The proposed subscribed capital of the Bank will be larger than that of any other bank registered in this country. Applications and promises have been received till 20th October, 1942, for shares of the NOMINAL AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF Rs. 10,27,00,100 without any brokerage or commission.

The sponsors of this Company feel that there is an immediate and urgent need of a bank of this kind, and in starting it, their avowed aim is to render service to the country. They solicit the sympathy and good wishes of all those who may or may not be its shareholders or clients, so that present and future directors may stick steadfastly to the ideal that is theirs to-day, and their efforts to realise it may increase in volume and intensity, as the years roll on; with the blessings of God to inspire them, the Directors hope to establish such traditions in banking as will rehabilitate the lost glory of mother India.

APPLICATION AND ALLOTMENT MONEY IS PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS:—

On Preference Shares—Rs. 50|- with application and Rs. 61|- on allotment, including premium of Rs. 11|-.
On Deferred Shares—Full amount of Rs. 1|4|- with application including premium of As. -|4|-.
On Ordinary Shares—Application and allotment money is payable in any one or more of the following manners:—

1. Rs. 5|6|- application and allotment money, payable on application, including premium of As. -|6|- on Rs. 5|- partly paid-up shares.
and|or
2. Rs. 10|8|- application and allotment money, payable on application, including premium of As. -|8|- on Rs. 10|- partly paid-up shares.
and|or
3. Rs. 12|- with application and Rs. 14|- on allotment, including premium of Re. 1|- on Rs. 25|- partly paid-up shares.
and|or
4. Rs. 25|- with application and Rs. 26|- on allotment, including premium of Re. 1|- on Rs. 50|- partly paid-up shares.
and|or
5. Rs. 50|- with application and Rs. 51|- on allotment, including premium of Re. 1|- on Rs. 100|- fully paid-up shares.

In allotting deferred shares preference will be given to those who apply for ordinary shares of comparatively lesser paid up value. Applications will not be considered of those who apply for deferred shares only.

Directors may give preference in allotment to shareholders of the following companies:—

1. Dalmia Cement Ltd.
2. Rohtas Industries Ltd.
3. Dalmia Cement and Paper Marketing Co., Ltd.
4. Dalmia Investment Co., Ltd.
5. Lahore Electric Supply Co., Ltd.
6. South Behar Sugar Mills, Ltd.
7. Dehri-Rohtas Light Railway Co., Ltd.
8. Shree Krishna Gyanodaya Sugar, Ltd.
9. Kharkhari Coal Co., Ltd.
10. Maheshpur Collieries, Ltd.
11. Bharat Insurance Co., Ltd.
12. Dalmia Dadri Cement, Ltd.
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Registered Office:
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The intention of the Directors in providing such an enormous subscribed capital is to strengthen the position of the Bank from the very start, so that it may launch large banking projects.

Preliminary expenses and brokerage often amount to a substantial figure and generally it takes years to liquidate them out of the profits of the Company. Expenses of this Bank on these head are nominal and can be easily met out of the premium received on the shares and still a reserve can be built—a feature of great advantage.

The Directors do not need making further calls nor intend doing so, because the proposed paid-up capital is more than sufficient for running the business of the Bank in a manner befitting the glorious status to which it expects to rise at its very inception.

The Directors propose formulating a scheme, which, though somewhat complicated, is unique in conception and of a practical value to the shareholder and to the public in general. Such a scheme, as far as the Directors are aware, has never been introduced. In due course, after providing for reserves and dividends, the Directors propose to apportion some of the profits for distribution amongst its depositors, (both in fixed and current accounts), borrowers and other constituents, entrusting their exchange and bills business with the Bank. Amounts so apportioned may be given away as bonus in proportion to be decided by the Directors from time to time. Individual depositor, borrower or other constituent will get this bonus in proportion to the amount of business placed by him with the Bank. For the same volume of business transacted, a constituent who is also a shareholder may be allowed a rate of bonus higher than what may be allowed to one who is not a shareholder.

Preference shares shall confer on the holders thereof the right to a fixed cumulative preferential dividend at the rate of 6 per cent per annum (less income-tax) with effect from 1st January 1943 on the capital for the time being paid up. They will rank both as regards dividend and claim on capital in priority to ordinary and deferred shares, but will have no further rights to participate in the profits or assets.

The ordinary Share capital, both as regards dividend and claim on capital, ranks in priority to the Deferred Share capital. After the Ordinary Share capital, for the time being paid up is paid a dividend of 7½ p.c., the Deferred Share capital to the extent it is paid up will be entitled to a dividend of 7 1|2 p. c. The balance distributable surplus will be divisible between ordinary shareholders and deferred shareholders in the ratio of 70 p. c. and 30 p. c. respectively, and they will be entitled to the surplus assets in a similar ratio.

Objects.—The Company has been formed for the purposes set out in the Memorandum of Association and particularly to carry on banking business of all sorts all over the world.

PROSPECTS

No bank of first class status has its Head Office in Delhi, the imperial capital of India. There are several lacs of villages and towns in this country but no proper banking facilities exist in many places. The mentality of Indians is fast changing and they are becoming more banking-minded everyday. There is doubtless a great scope for many a first class bank with branches all over India.

On the termination of the war, the Directors may extend the Bank's activities to wider spheres and establish branches in England, America and other foreign countries just as foreign banks have their branches in India.

Many Indian States have no proper banking facilities. They are anxious to develop the marketing of their agricultural produce on scientific lines with the aid of modern banking. The Directors have been assured of the support of many prominent States, names of which may be known when negotiations are completed. Many of these States propose to entrust their treasuries to the care of the Bank. They will also guarantee that if any of the branches of the Bank functioning in their areas do not prove paying, (though there are no such chances), they will grant such subsidies to the Bank as will make good any losses that may arise in running branches in their areas. Thus the Bank will be able to establish a large number of branches

The prospects of the Bank appear to be bright. It is expected to be one amongst the foremost banks of the country, including foreign banks and may set examples in sound banking principles.

The Directors expect that there will be a great rush for the purchase of these shares. There are enquiries from several Indian States for shares of large amount. For capital appreciation and good return, these shares may be really attractive only for genuine investors who can patiently wait till the Bank develops and extends its activities.

VOTING RIGHTS.

On a show of hands, every holder of Deferred or Ordinary Shares present in person shall have one vote and on a poll every member present in person or by proxy shall have one vote, for each share held by him.

Cumulative preference shares do not confer a right to vote to the holders thereof.

RESTRICTION ON VOTING.

No member shall be entitled to vote on any question either personally or by proxy for another member at any General Meeting, or upon a poll or be reckoned in quorum, while any call or other sum is due and payable to the Company by such member.

RESTRICTION ON TRANSFER OF PARTLY PAID-UP SHARES

The Directors may, in their discretion, decline to register any proposed transfer of shares other than fully paid-up shares.

DIRECTORS' QUALIFICATIONS AND REMUNERATION

Qualification of a Director for the Central Board, other than an Expert Director or a Director nominated by States, called ex-officio Directors, shall be the holding of shares in the Company of the nominal value at least of Rs. 10,000|- registered in his name. The remuneration of a Director shall not exceed Rs. 100|- for every meeting of the Board attended by him and he will be entitled to travelling expenses incurred by him in attending meetings of the Directors and also to any other expenses properly incurred in connection with the business of the Company.

PRELIMINARY EXPENSES

Preliminary expenses, including registration fee, printing charges and other incidental expenses, but excluding commission and brokerage for getting the capital subscribed, are estimated not to exceed Rs. 40,000|-.

BROKERAGE

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Rajaji Meets Jinnah

League Terms For Provisional Central Government

NEW DELHI, November 9.

Mr. Rajagopalachari, who arrived here today, met Mr. Jinnah this evening. The meeting lasted two and a half hours. They are meeting again at 7 p.m., tomorrow. Mr. Rajagopalachari is expected to stay in Delhi till Thursday.

Muslim League & National Government

Mr. M. A. Jinnah in his opening address to the Council of the All-India Muslim League today restated the League position regarding Pakistan and its attitude towards proposals for a provisional Central Government.

He referred at the outset to attempts to misinterpret the League attitude and to characterise the League as "allies of British Imperialism obstructing the path of freedom in India." "These efforts are disgraceful," he declared.

Reaffirming the Muslim right to self-determination in zones where they were in a majority, Mr. Jinnah declared that India had never been a nation governed by one single power, even by the sword. Even today one-third of India was not under British rule. The present administrative oneness was entirely the making of the British.

"This Government," he went on, "which has been in this sub-continent for 150 years or 160 years is not a Government with the sanction of the people behind it. It is a Government imposed upon the Moghul system. The sanction behind it are British machine-guns and bayonets, not the sanction of the people. Now, there has been aroused a great political consciousness among the people and we want our freedom and independence. We want to be masters of our own affairs in our own land and we would like to say good-bye and farewell to the British administration over this sub-continent.

"Our proposal for Pakistan presupposes the freedom and independence of India. It is obvious. According to our propssals, we agree to give three-quarters of India, territory larger than any single country except perhaps China or Russia, with a population of 250 millions, to the Hindus. We say: "Have your independence and freedom and self-rule in the Hindu zones. Let us have self-rule in our land." But it seems Hindu leadership thinks: "Three-fourths we have got in our pocket. What do we lose? Let us, if we can, diddle them out of the one-fourth." That is the spirit that is the manoeuvre under the garb of the various proposals that we have seen hitherto.

NO SURRENDER

"National Government responsible to the Legislature is a fine phrase, but it comes to this that Muslims as a minority must submit and surrender to Hindu raj. That is a position that Muslims will never accept."

Mr. Jinnah went on to refer to the perils of the present times and said: "Naturally any sensible Indian would be only too glad to do all he can to mobilise all our resources in order to resist any aggressor. Our American friends can go back to America; our British friends can go back to England. Where shall I go? Therefore, I am more vitally concerned in the protection and the safeguarding of this country than anybody else. It is for this reason that we have said we want the British Government and other parties in this country to agree to the right of the Muslims to self-determination and to abide by the plebiscite verdict of Muslims. If that verdict is in favour of a partition of India, of carving out independent Muslim zones, then all parties should agree to abide by it and give effect to it. Once we are assured of this by a solemn and honourable agreement we have repeatedly said that in the formation of the provisional government we, not as a minority but on an equal footing, shall not only place no difficulty in the way but we shall do our best to see that all necessary power is transferred to that provisional government.

"So far, the only reply that comes from every quarter—I mean from Hindu leadership—is kite-flying, and the appeal to this foreign nation or that foreign nation. What is the use of appealing to any foreign nation? Is that foreign nation going to run the government in this country?

"The Government of this country is going to be run principally by the two major parties, Hindus and Muslims. That does not mean that the interests of the minorities are to be neglected. They also will have to be considered in any scheme of things that may be agreed upon.

"That is the position. I find that there is some change coming over the thoughtful sections of Hindus, and I hope they will realise that it is more in their interest than anybody else's that we should meet and place our cards on the table as friends and see that justice is done to both. Let us hope that this spirit will soon display itself. In the meantime, we can go no further."

Referring to the present movement, Mr. Jinnah asserted it was inimical to Muslim interests because it had been launched to force Government's hands to surrender to the Congress and concede their demands, which meant a deathblow to Muslim interests. "I hope that Hindu public opinion will realise that and revise the policy."

"The British attitude," he went on "is also un-understandable, curious. Because one party had adopted this course which is meaningless and impossible, the British Government are marking time and are following the Asquithian policy of 'wait and see.' It is a great blunder. You cannot wait and see. The sands are running out. Our frontiers are not safe. Our battlefields are not out of danger and this policy of wait and see is the greatest mistake that the British Government can make. I should have said: 'Get on and mobilise. If you cannot mobilise hundred per cent, mobilise ninety per cent, if not ninety per cent, mobilise eighty per cent, but mobilise.' The sooner they consider, reconsider and revise their policy the better. I think they ought, without any further delay, to concede the Muslim demand, which is just to the Hindus and fair to us. Concede that demand. I think the British Government, if they did that, will establish their bona fides that they intend to give the people of India freedom and independence as soon as possible, and I feel that Hindu India will not be able to condemn that position before the bar of public opinion in this country or elsewhere, because it is more than just and fair to them."

FOUR RESOLUTIONS PASSED

The Council of the Muslim League ratified without discussion four resolutions of its Working Committee passed in April, August and yesterday, including the Bombay resolution.

Sir Currimbhoy Ebrahim and Mr. Lari accepted the President's advice and agreed not to move their resolutions.

The Council passed Sir Currimbhoy Ebrahim's resolution on Palestine Arabs. Other resolutions were not moved in accordance with the chair's wishes and session ended.—A. P.

Hitler Says:

HE WILL NEVER CAPITULATE!

Exhorts Germans To Become Fanatics

LONDON, Nov. 8.

"There will be no repetition of 1918—I will never capitulate", said Hitler, speaking on Sunday night in the Munich Beer Cellar on the anniversary of the Beer Cellar Putsch.

"We could have had victory in 1918, but the German people did not deserve it," said the Fuhrer. "Destiny will give victory to him who most deserves it. Why are we fighting so far from home today? To keep war from our home country and to spare it the sufferings which it would otherwise undergo. Our enemies, both internal and external, are the same today as before. The Kaiser capitulated. I never will.

"Today we are very much stronger than ten years ago. The people on our side are more numerous than those against us. Today, we are fighting with a military force. The British say that they have never lost a war. That is not true. They have lost many wars.

"But it is true that they have always fought their wars to a finish.

During the World War, 2,000,000 German soldiers were killed in action. In the present struggle, our army has lost 350,000 dead, and among them are 39 members of the National Socialist Parliament.

"NO MORE PEACE OFFERS."

"We know what is in store for us if the other side wins. Because of that there can be no compromise. No more peace offers will come from us. The last one was in 1940. Since then there has been nothing else but the word 'fight.'

'Stalin thought that we would attack in the central sector, but our aims were directed against one particular town. It was this special town that I wanted. (Here, Hitler rapped emphatically on the desk)..

"Please do not believe I wanted it because it is called Stalin. I wanted it because of its importance as a junction. If anybody asks why we did not take immediately the strong points held by the enemy, I reply, because they are not worth a second Verdun.

"When today Roosevelt launches an attack against North Africa under the pretext of protecting it against Germany and Italy, we need not waste words. The decisive last word will certainly not be spoken by Herr Roosevelt. You may be sure of that. You may have full confidence in German leadership and the German army. They will do all there is to do.

"BECOME FANATICS"

"In North Africa the enemy has moved forward and we have moved back, but what matters in this war is the final result and that you can leave to us. "The Americans started boasting about their having produced a new submarine, the best and the fastest in the world. You need not worry. We are not asleep, not are our constructors. We cannot score new successes every week. This is impossible. It is also unnecessary. What is necessary is that we should hold what we have. On that you can depend. "The hour will come for me to hit back, and I will hit back with compound interest. Do you think I do not eat my heart out when I think of the British air attacks on Germany? I do not forget. They will all find out in Britain the German answer. Our spirit has not been idle and they will get an answer which will take their breath away. Today every German knows that we are engaged in a life and death struggle. Every German must believe in me. He must become a fanatic. Think only that this war will decide whether Germany shall live or die, and if you realise this your every deed, your every thought will be a prayer for our Germany."—Reuter.

Ambedkar's Advice To Depressed Classes

A tirade against the Congress was the marked feature of Dr. B. K. Ambedkar's speech delivered before a mass meeting convened under the auspices of the All-India Scheduled Classes Federation at Kamgar Maidan, Parel, on Sunday evening. Rao Bahadur N. Shivraj, President of the Federation presided.

The speaker expressed his satisfaction at the non-participation of the Depressed Classes in the "subversive activities," which, according to him, were "carried on by the paid hirelings of the Congress." Englishman, said the speaker, against whom the movement was aimed, were not the least affected by it. It was only their own countrymen who suffered.

Jinnah To Address Lahore Press

(From Our Correspondent)

LAHORE Nov. 10.

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